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Police Officers Hold a “Night Out” For Tri-Town

By Andrea Ray

The third edition of the local police enforcement’s “National Night Out” took place under an iron-colored sky on Tuesday evening. The sky, however, didn’t deter families from swarming over the front field of ORR, enjoying an afternoon of fun. The local search and rescue team handed out Dunkin’ Donuts. There was pizza available next to the SWAT BearCat vehicle. An ice cream truck stood in close proximity to shining fire trucks. Above it all, a massive American flag shifted in the



On August 1, the Rochester Police Brotherhood, represented by Officer Malo, Officer Nordahl and Sergeant Flynn, presented new Class B uniforms to the scouts of Rochester Boy Scout Troop 31. The Brotherhood, which purchased the uniforms, proudly supports the scouts.

On the Cover: The First Congregational Church of Marion’s Annual Super Duper Fun Fair on Saturday featured a number of traditional carnival games. The fishing game was especially popular with the kids, along with the dunking booth and golf putting game. Photo by Jean Perry

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breeze.

The law enforcement divisions of the Tri-Town teamed up to bring the event to the community. National Night Out is an event aimed at promoting police-community partnerships and it allows people to meet the local law enforcement in a friendly, social way.

“We thought we needed it for the community,” said Rochester Police Chief Paul Magee. “It’s great for the kids. We want kids to know that we’re here to help. Sometimes kids see a cop car on the side of the road, and they get a little nervous. So we want them to meet us in a friendly situation.”

Magee said the idea for the local event came about as he visited a similar event held in Kingston several years ago. “We thought we really needed something like this locally,” he explained, “but it’s hard for any single division to host the entire event. The three towns all work closely, and we came together again to all produce this.” They received aid from several local businesses, who donated food and drinks to the event, as well as mini-games.

More than anything else, though, Magee said the event was aimed at providing an opportunity for fun for the entire family. “It’s sometimes tough to go out as a family when everything costs money,” he said. “We wanted to make a free evening for the entire family to have fun. It’s a chance to give back to the community.”

By the looks of it, the police force made a success of the event. The local fire departments offered a “Spin the Wheel” game, where children answered basic safety related questions to win a plastic fire helmet; the field was dotted by dozens of red helmets. Some children played at the mini batting cages or hoops games, while others climbed over the harbormaster’s boat or peered out of the top of the SWAT team’s armored vehicle, the BearCat. A line of police cars and trucks, flashing their lights, sat

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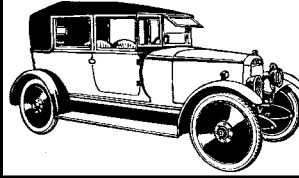

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at the edge of the field. Parents and children took turns sitting at the helm of the all-terrain vehicle and attached stretcher.

Towards the end of the day, the sun broke through the clouds.

Pleased with the turnout, Magee indicated that the event would return next year. "We're always looking for new ideas," he said, "but this event gets bigger every year. It's a valuable community event, and the kids love it." The cheerful voices and bouncing fire helmets echo his words.

Marion COA Honors Joanne Mahoney By Marilou Newell

On August 1, Marion's Council on Aging staff, along with members of the Friends of the Marion COA and other senior community members, gathered to celebrate the first anniversary of the senior drop-in center at the Marion Music Hall and the lady who made it all happen.

The brainchild of a woman who has dedicated her life to improving the lives of others, Joanne Mahoney sought and found a way to provide Marion's aging population with a "center," a location where they could gather together to participate in a variety of activities.

Without a brick and mortar structure to call its own, the Marion COA, unlike its neighbors, wasn't able to provide social or enrichment activities – activities that

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Mahoney believes are critical to senior citizens. After casting about trying to find a location, she approached the town about using the Music Hall. In her imagination, it was the right size with the right accessibility to allow programs for seniors to take place.

A year later, her vision was crystal clear. "I had two objectives," Mahoney said. "The first one was to raise awareness that we needed a senior center, and the second was a get a place where people could come together," she said. The Music Hall is open to seniors on Mondays and Wednesdays with such programs as chair yoga, blood pressure clinics, a social hour, buffet luncheons and lectures.

"We are seeing about 50 people throughout those days," said Mahoney. Mahoney's personality, training, and her long career as a psychologist added to her first person understanding of the needs of the aging. "Loss is the word that comes to mind," she shared, "...you lose your husband, your kids move on, your job is gone, friends die, you deal with lots of loss..."

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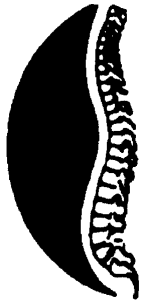
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Mahoney believes you have to keep pushing forward, "The trick is to stay involved." But without a place to go to, where others might be available for friendship or just to share a cup of coffee, Marion's seniors were adrift.

Jean Wickenden Lake, lifelong Marion resident said, "Being able to come here is very exciting. I get a few hours away from home, hear great lectures, see friends, I'm very pleased."

Priscilla Ditchfield, board member of the Friends of the Marion COA said, "In the beginning Joanne did everything, arranged everything, got the speakers." Now with the assistance of the Marion COA staff, all the programs are running smoothly and growing.

Marion's new COA Director Heather Sylvia added to the conversation saying, "The main focus for me is to get our own center. We share this building and that's great, but as programs continue to expand, we'll outgrow the Music Hall." She said that another new program that will be taking place in the antique building is the Memory Café.

"It will be a nonjudgmental program. People who are still high functioning but dealing with dementia can come here," Sylvia said. She continued, "Caregivers can get a break as well as resource materials to help them and their loved one. There'll be games, speakers, outings, and education." She said that people dealing with cognitive issues find some programs too overwhelming, so the need was there for a something geared towards this specific group of senior citizens.

After presenting Mahoney with a huge bouquet of flowers and a rousing round of applause in appreciation of all she had done for the seniors in the community, everyone tucked into a delicious buffet luncheon followed by a live musical performance.

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Eagle Scout Project to Benefit Animals (and Sidewalks)

By Jean Perry

Dog poop. It's become an issue in Mattapoissett and now one young man, as part of a deal he made with the Mattapoissett selectmen to allow him to hold a dog walkathon as part of his Eagle Scout project, is going to try to do something about it.

Freemin Bauer, 16, of Mattapoissett, is a dog lover. He's also a Boy Scout in Mattapoissett Troop #53 working towards completing his Eagle Scout Service Project. For his project, he wanted to find a way to benefit the dogs of his community but, now, his work will benefit the animals, their people, and the community at large.

"At first, I wanted to make a dog park for my Eagle Scout project, but we couldn't find room," said Bauer. "But then I started thinking, why don't we do a dog walk?"

Bauer said he went to the selectmen and they approved his request to hold a dog walkathon, but there was a bit of a catch. The selectmen asked Bauer to work in a little 'scoop your dog's poop' awareness. Bauer, of course, agreed.

He was at Harbor Days passing out "Do You Scoop the Poop" pamphlets encouraging responsible pet



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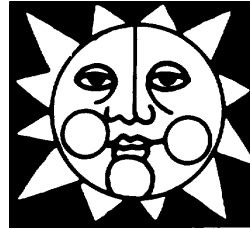
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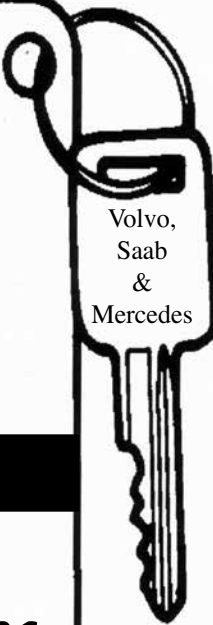
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owners to scoop it, while recruiting participants for his Dog-Gone Walkathon on August 27.

"It's a rain or shine event, and it's twenty dollars to enter the walkathon," said Bauer. There is a two-dog maximum per human walker, and the group will start the walkathon at 8:00 am on Saturday, August 27, by the tennis courts on Hammond Street.

The proceeds from the walk will benefit the most important part of Bauer's project: repairs to the Fairhaven Animal Shelter.

"We're going to be painting the floors and walls and inside the kennels," said Bauer. He will also do some work outside the shelter, digging up the stone groundcover and replacing it with new stone.

Tee shirts will also be available at the walkathon. They're antique orange, said Bauer, with a paw print on the front chest and on the back, "I'm a Mattapoisett Dog Walker."

"I do like dogs," said Bauer. "I've had dogs my whole life." He will be walking his pug, Ziljian, during the walkathon.

If you don't have a dog or a dog you can borrow, said Bauer, you can walk anyway! After all, it's for a doggone good cause!

For more information about the Dog-Gone Walkathon on August 27, you can email Freemin Bauer at Bauer841@verizon.net.

The Mysterious Loon

By George B. Emmons

The common loon is one of the most eye-catching and unforgettable appearing water birds with a wide human habitat overlap all across the lake country of North America. It is clearly identifiable with a black head and neck that lowers down into white stripes and panels like mirrors that seem to reflect either solar or lunar light – like water line portholes of a cruise ship at night.

Even more mystical is the sound of the loon's wail across the water, creating an audible window of conscious awareness through which one sees eternity, best described by Henry David Thoreau as the most un-earthly sound he had ever heard. Before him, Native Americans attuned


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to atmospheric environmental frequencies knew it as a prediction of impending rain. The other loon call is a loud laughing startling yodel of an alarm, while standing up in the water with splashing wings to warn intruders they are approaching too close to the nest.

My inspiration for writing and drawing for this article is the annual Emmons family vacation at Lake Winnepesaukee in the A.M.C. Summer Camp not far from the Loon Preservation Committee headquarters in Moultonborough Neck, where they monitor the loon population and educate the public to support their programs.

As one of the oldest living bird species on Earth, research revealing a roughly 60 million year survival

seems to lead to a missing link to egg-laying dinosaurs with feather-covered wings and incredibly efficient respiratory systems that extract more oxygen than other normal breathing creatures.

For environmental overlap with humans, in the Oscar-winning movie *On Golden Pond* with Henry Fonda and Katharine Hepburn as an aging couple, like the Emmons, the calls of the loons seem to acknowledge their arrival and farewell at Squam Lake, not far away. The solemn tone of their message seems to mourn the environmental passage of time.

The Driving Lesson

This Mattapoisett Life

By Marilou Newell

Well, it's finally come to pass – the youngest granddaughter is now driving. We knew the day would come, used to joke about it when she was a little child just learning how to ride a two-wheeler. Now she's driving my car.

I think it's pretty darn brave of me to sit in the passenger seat giving full control of not only my new car but my very life and well, hers too, as we s-l-o-w-l-y drive up and down the country roads of the Tri-Town area.

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But that may be the difference between our chronological ages. Being older, I worry about life; she, being younger, believes life is endless. Deep sigh.

Anyway, she is driving and I am the passenger.

You notice different things from the passenger's seat – like how close the trees are along curvy roads in Rochester or the deep gullies gouged out by decades of stormwater runoff. I can't stop my vivid imagination from wondering how horrible it would be if a second from now the tire on my side got sucked into the breach. It doesn't happen. I murmur, "Hey, you are doing really well." She responds, "I know."

The shingled and clapboard homes, the elongated pastures, the occasional flower stands and, yes, the thick trees sweep past our field of vision as we cruise along at 35 miles per hour. It becomes restful until a driver comes up behind us seeming to want to push our car along faster while up ahead is a bicyclist who can't imagine the level of danger he is in.

Nothing happens. I say, "Don't worry about that car. Just watch out for the guy on the bike." She responds, "I know."

Soon enough, the driver that was in a hurry turns off and is no longer threatening to drive right over us, and the bicyclist is still pedaling merrily along. A memory floats in to fill the ambient silence.

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get her to take a nap, I'd often put her in the car and drive her around.

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I'd return home with my sleeping sweetheart, drive into our back lot, park the van under a shady tree and turn off the engine. For the next hour or so, I could read my book while she napped, or more often than not, I'd nap too.

During these occasions if my husband was home, he'd stealthily creep up to the driver's door and whisper through the half-opened window, "Do you need anything?" No, I didn't need a thing. As a grandparent, you know the importance of relishing the moment, the sheer unadulterated joy of watching a sleeping child. It only lasts forever in one's mind.

Pulling out of my reverie, I realize she's driving 40 miles per hour in a posted 40 mile per hour zone. I say, "Better to go a bit slower on this curvy road." She responds, "I know," and slows the car down to 35.

I want to tell her so many things. I want to impart all I've learned these six plus decades, all the wins and losses, how to process some of life's misfortunes, how to build on one's successes, how to drive this car expertly. I



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drove around as she built up her driving skills and understand what I really wanted to say but didn't, "The driving lessons are never really over." Perhaps she'll think, "I know - now."

What To Do With Eversource Cash
Marion Board of Selectmen
By Marilou Newell

During the August 2 meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen, Town Administrator Paul Dawson and Energy Management Committee members Jennifer Francis and Bill Saltonstall met with the selectmen to discuss how to handle cash payments from Eversource.



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The utility's 20-year contract with the town for energy produced from wind turbines includes a clause that allows them to pay the town cash instead of giving energy credits or net metering credits as originally planned. Now the town is faced with how to best handle receiving these cash payments.

Selectman Steve Cushing said, "The plan was to reduce energy costs." Without direct deductions on municipal electricity bills, the EMC offered other ideas.

Francis said that the committee thought that possibly half of the Eversource payments could go into a new fund that could be used for such things as purchasing electric cars, replacing boilers in municipal buildings, or planning a municipal solar farm.

Dawson thought that that part of the new cash flow should go towards the growing OPEB liability the town is facing and said, "...that will go a long way with bond raters."

The selectmen were in agreement that to simply put the payments into the general fund might mean that the cash could get "lost" in the budget. They concurred that if funds were segregated, they should also be earmarked for specific items.

Selectman Jody Dickerson suggested that instead of looking at the entire lifecycle of the Eversource contract when brainstorming how to use the cash, perhaps just trying any plan ultimately agreed upon for five or ten years was better so that, "...we don't tie the hands of

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future boards.”

The selectmen agreed that the EMC should continue to pursue ideas and to return to them with more fully developed plans.

In other news, Dawson said that a grant in the amount of \$10,924 applied for by the Open Space Committee had been awarded. He said that these funds could now be used to complete the Grassi Bog repairs.

Dawson said that abutters to the town-held property had been “very patient” in dealing with stormwater runoff issues from a failure in an earlier water management plan designed by National Resources Conservation Service, a federal agency. Armed with a new plan from the NRCS that had been vetted by the town’s

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peer review consultants CDM Smith, Dawson believed “The new plan should fix the problems.”

Repairs to the historic Elizabeth Taber Library were also discussed. Board of Trustees President Jay Pateakos and architect Bob Raymond said that repairs to the front steps, door and improved handicap access were paramount to improving the structure. Raymond presented conceptual designs that had been part of the original campus concepts for the town house project to help the selectmen visualize what the front entrance changes would look like.

Funding for the repairs will be paid by donor funding, Pateakos said, and although it would not cost the town anything, public input was important. The selectmen were pleased with the plans and approved further exploration.

Continuing on the theme of repairs, Dawson said that the manufacturer of the siding used on the police station had declared the product defective and will repair and replace the siding under the warranty.

Funds for the Marion Scholarship fund were also discussed when Debra Watson met with the selectmen saying, “Since 1994, we have given ninety-one scholarships to Marion residents.” However, she noted that the fund was now empty. To fill the void, Watson said a raffle was held. The prize was three Red Sox tickets donated by Laura Sharpe and Jim Fogerty. The drawing was held and the winner announced: David Ellis. The

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raffle raised \$550.

Fall special town meeting date was set for October 24 at 6:45 pm in the Sippican School multi-purpose room.

The next meeting of the Marion Board of Selectmen is scheduled for **August 16** at 7:00 pm in the police station community meeting room.

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Mattapoisett Planning Board

By Marilou Newell

Brandt Point Village was again the topic of conversation at the August 1 meeting of the Mattapoisett

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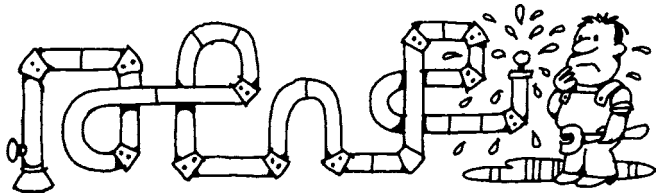
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Planning Board when the newest team of investors and developers came before the board to discuss the long list of incomplete and problematic issues still pending on Phase 1.

Present on this night to review the most glaring unresolved problems at the massive sub-division were Mark Marcus of Omega Financial Corporation, who took over from Joseph Furtado, an owner/developer who was only involved with the massive project for about a year, and Armand Cotelleso the current contractor/developer.

Planning Board Chairman Tom Tucker suggested that they discuss only those line items of a multi-page peer review report issued by Ken Motta of Field Engineering that were the most critical.



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The issues discussed were: 1) condition of the Phase 1 roadway and guardrails; 2) corrections needed to bring drainage grates up to specifications; 3) test reports on the septic system; 4) repositioning of drainage structures now above roadway surface; 5) submittal of as-built plans; 6) position of light poles; 7) the location of the mail kiosk; and 8) position of electrical duct banks.

As the group discussed each item on the to-do list, the design engineer, Al Loomis of McKenzie Engineering, gave suggestions on how his clients would make the necessary corrections, while Motta, hired by the town to oversee the project, aired his concerns and ideas.

Also on-hand was Highway Surveyor Barry Denham. Denham has attended countless meetings regarding the sub-division, always with an eye towards the condition of the roads that he contends will eventually become the responsibility of the town. He had worked with Tibbetts Engineering of New Bedford, the engineer who performed tests and reported roadway problems over a year ago.

Loomis detailed current roadway conditions and corrections. Of the road Motta said, "Tibbetts Engineering did an analysis of the roadway ... I'd like them to respond as to whether it's a reasonable solution..." He said that he trusted Tibbetts and assured the board that they were a respectable firm.

As they moved through the list, Tucker read off from Motta's report then asked Loomis for his comment.

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Loomis commented on what needed to be done or offered compromises while Motta explained his rationale for either countering a Loomis suggestion or agreeing with him.

Sitting in the audience were Gail Carlson and Dennis Dimos, residents of the sub-division who have become fixtures at planning board meetings as they have sought to have the project completed as planned and accountability accepted by the various owners and developers whom they have said hello and good-bye to over the years.

Motta asked, "Moving forward, what is the schedule?" For his part, Motta said the most glaring problems are the condition of the roadway, the septic

system testing, and the location of guardrails.

Cotelleso said they had a company ready to complete septic testing, but the other items would require further study before conclusions could be offered. He also said that without the tri-party agreement that weighed in the balance on this night, they could not move forward at all. "We can't get a mortgage without this," he told Motta.

For over an hour, the project and its issues were discussed and decisions made regarding next steps along with associated commitments made by Cotelleso and Loomis. Once satisfied that accountability and action were in place, the board members released lots in Phase 2 in exchange for a tri-party \$1.5 million surety/performance agreement. The agreement was signed.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Planning Board is scheduled for **August 15** at 7:00 pm in the town hall conference room.

Oyster Farm Progress Postponed

Marion Conservation Commission

By Jean Perry

Shea Doonan's aquaculture farm he proposed for a location off Meadow Island is essentially stalled at this point, Doonan told the Marion Conservation Commission on July 27 during his public hearing for a Notice of Intent.

Doonan faced opposition to his proposed location by Marion resident and Hollywood actor James Spader on July 12 during the Marion Board of Selectmen meeting. Since that night, Doonan has been compiling all his required documentation and support from various government agencies, including the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, which Doonan said has approved the project but has not officially released the findings in writing.

The Conservation Commission was hoping for a response from Marion Harbormaster Isaac Perry in regards to his comments on the proposal; however, he had not responded by the time of the public hearing.

Doonan said he is still awaiting the approval from the selectmen to move forward with the Mass Division of Wildlife & Fisheries, but stated that at this point there was no longer an urgency for approval.

"The year is really a wash, so there really is no

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rush at this point," said Doonan.

The public hearing for the 147-foot by 147-foot commercial oyster farm was continued until September 28.

The Notice of Intent public hearing for Doug Thackeray for an aquaculture farm proposed for a spot east of Stewart's Island at Sippican Harbor was continued until August 10.


The next meeting of the Marion Conservation Commission is scheduled for **August 10** at 7:00 pm at the Marion Town House.

New Bedford Man Leads Area Police on Chase

Rochester Police Department Press Release

On Monday, August 1 at 1:10 pm, Rochester Police received a call reporting an erratic operator driving a Chevy Blazer on Mary's Pond Road near Pierce Street. The reporting party stated the Blazer was all over the road and driving in the wrong lane. As officers headed toward the area, the reporting party said that the operator of the Blazer had pulled over, exited his vehicle and began to strike it repeatedly with a hatchet.


Sergeant Robert Small arrived on scene and observed the man striking his own vehicle with the hatchet. Upon seeing the cruiser, he began to flee on foot. Sgt. Small followed in his cruiser until the man stopped, turned around, raised the hatchet and began to run toward the cruiser.



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Rochester police terminated the pursuit in New Bedford once New Bedford Police entered into the chase. As the officers made their way back to town, the chase circled back through Fairhaven, Mattapoisett, Marion and Wareham. Several attempts were made to stop the vehicle with spike strips but they were not successful. The

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chase continued back through Mattapoisett, Fairhaven and eventually back into New Bedford where the suspect abandoned his vehicle and fled on foot. He was taken into custody by the State Police.

Rochester Police are filing charges in Wareham District Court against the driver, 50-year-old Randall W. Harrison of Summer Street in New Bedford. Harrison will be charged with negligent operation of a motor vehicle, failure to stay in marked lanes, disorderly conduct, two counts of assault with a dangerous weapon, failure to stop for a stop sign and failure to stop for police.

Rochester Police Chief Paul Magee says that Harrison has a lengthy criminal history including resisting arrest and negligent operation and that his driving history with the Registry of Motor Vehicles is extensive with multiple license suspensions and offenses dating back to 1989. Rochester Police have filed an immediate threat request with the registry to have his license suspended immediately.

Chief Magee said that the chase was primarily at low speeds. Magee said he is happy that this dangerous person was taken into custody and that none of the involved officers or any citizens were injured.

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We'd climb the bat to determine who was on which team, each of us praying we would not be chosen last, an embarrassment of major league proportions. Someone would bring an old wooden bat. The ancient wood and chicken wire backstop was painted green and the ball was more than likely wrapped in black tape. Bases were non-existent, but that didn't matter because the game was the thing and the score was forgotten by the time the sun went down.

On the hottest days of August when baseball was out of the question, we'd hot-foot it to the beach. Al

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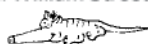
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Boucher was the head life guard and Ada Delano was the bath house matron. During the school year, Mrs. Delano was the head of the cafeteria at Center School, so she knew her way around marauding youngsters and generally kept us all in line with a friendly smile and a cautious scolding. Few actually went in the water. Mostly we hung around the bath house or played volleyball.

The beach not only provided a respite from the summer heat but it is where the town's folk gathered on the Fourth of July to watch fireworks over the harbor or where you went to the annual Lions Club carnival to gorge on sticky cotton candy and lose your paper route money in a game of chance. Nights were spent at band concerts or the teen dances on the wharf.

The bandstand was at the edge of Shipyard Park nestled up against the parking lot. It was an old wooden structure painted grey balancing precariously about three feet off the ground on rickety two-by-four legs barely able to hold up the talented members of the Town Band who performed there on Wednesday nights.

The mischievous among us would sneak under the bandstand and push sticks up between the floor boards to distract the players. Woe-be-tied the kid who got caught doing so by the notorious Beatrice Ingram, Police Matron extraordinaire, who ruled the park with an iron hand.

Just as now, there was a split rail fence surrounding the park. Any kid who dared hop over it, or sit on it or even lean against it would be corralled by the much-feared Officer Beatrice, who would scold you in a harsh tone and chase you away or worse ban you for life from the park ... or at least until the next concert or dance. As Shakespeare wrote, she "was a harmless, necessary cat," but she sent shivers up the spines of the little tykes ... and provided a challenging game of cat and mouse for the older set.

Years later, the band concerts were suspended for a time. Popular demand brought them back with an M.C. who sounded like a carnival barker and talked more than the band played. Thankfully, wiser heads prevailed and small town nostalgia returned.

Teen dances were held on the parking lot every

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Thursday night. Bruce Barrett, a local teen who actually spun records on Saturday mornings at a local radio station, would be the disc jockey. The "hops" would be open to all comers even from surrounding towns which caused problems and the dances would come and go and come again moving from the parking lot to the wharf proper.

The dances are gone yet again and the lazy days at the beach and the ballfield are no more, casualties of modern distractions, but the band concerts remain a highlight of warm summer nights. Thankfully, the more things change, the more some things stay the same.

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St. Philip's Episcopal Church

Clergy from nearby and around the country visit the "Church at the Town Beach" in Mattapoissett from July 3 to September 4. Services using the 1928 Book of Common Prayer are at 8:00 am and 10:00 am.

On Sunday, **August 7**, The Rev. Robert Malm, Rector, Grace Church, Alexandria, Virginia will be officiating. All are welcome!

Friends of the Mattapoissett Library

The Friends of the Mattapoissett Library will hold their annual jewelry and accessories sale from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm on Saturday, **August 13** in the downstairs meeting room at the Mattapoissett Public Library, 7 Barstow Street, Mattapoissett. A preview sale for members only will be held from 6:00 to 8:00 pm on Friday, August 12. Donations of new or gently-used jewelry, scarves, gloves, hats, totes and handbags may be dropped off at the library during regular business hours. All proceeds benefit the library.

Sippican Historical Society's Speaker Series

On **August 4**, the Sippican Historical will host Chris Black and B. Jay Cooper, who will discuss their new book, *Mac Baldrige: The Cowboy in Ronald Reagan's Cabinet*. The book recounts the Washington career of Mac Baldrige, the Commerce Secretary during the Reagan Administration. Ronald Reagan assumed the presidency at a time when Japan and Europe, fully recovered from wartime devastation, threatened America's position as the number one economy in the world. Manufacturing was in decline; traditional industries were being beaten by foreign competitors; many American industries had grown complacent. President Reagan named Mac Baldrige, an industrialist (and card-carrying member of the Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association), to his cabinet in order to address these economic challenges. Mac Baldrige was a pragmatist, not an ideologue. He advocated a middle ground between the close-the-borders rhetoric of the protectionists and the unfettered free-for-all preferred by some business interests. He called it "fair trade" and it became the official policy of the Reagan Administration. Baldrige led a billion dollar company prior to his appointment to the cabinet and once famously complained that corporate America had grown "fat, dumb and happy." This book recalls an era when Democrats and Republicans were social friends despite their philosophical differences and compromise was the mark of a shrewd and skillful leader. It also recounts the

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Chris Black is a longtime journalist and writer. She was a political reporter for more than 30 years and worked at the Boston Globe and as a White House and Congressional Correspondent for Cable Network News (CNN). She now writes and ghost writes books in a variety of genres. B. Jay Cooper served as Mac Baldrige’s speechwriter and director of public affairs at the Commerce Department. He also is a former deputy press secretary to Presidents Ronald Reagan and George H. W. Bush; former director of communications at the Republican National Committee and a former spokesman and communications director at Yale University. Cooper met Baldrige while covering him as a reporter in Waterbury, Connecticut, and was asked by Baldrige to come to Washington to work with him. *Mac Baldrige: The Cowboy in Ronald Reagan’s Cabinet* is their first collaboration as a married couple. They live on a tidal river in Marion, Massachusetts.

August Programs at Plumb Library

Book Chats for Grownups: Wednesday, August 10, 2:00 - 3:00 pm. Share what you are reading, hear about new releases, and learn where to find out about upcoming titles. Light refreshments will be served.

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The Council on Aging Book Group will meet on Tuesday, **August 16** at 10:15 am at the Rochester Council on Aging, Dexter Lane, to discuss *Plain Truth* by Jodi Picoult. Copies are available at the library or bring your own.

Unless otherwise noted, all programs take place at the Plumb Memorial Library, 17 Constitution Way, Rochester. Call 508-763-8600 or email info@plumblibrary.com for more information.

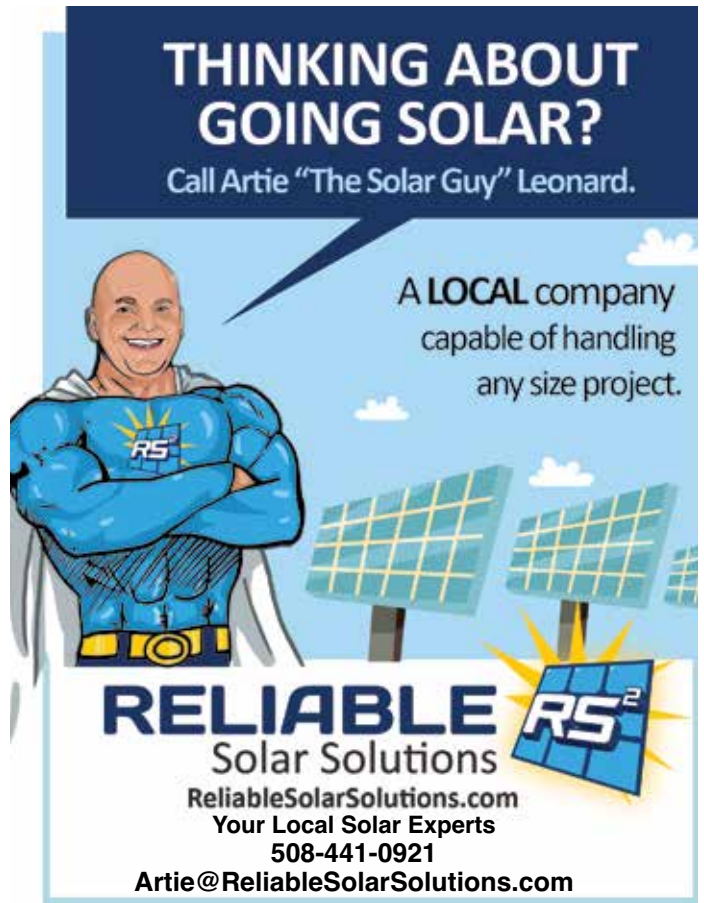
Academic Achievements

Curry College is pleased to announce that Bethany Fisher of Mattapoisett received a Bachelor of Science degree on Sunday, May 22 at the commencement ceremony in Milton.

Celeste A. Popitz, of Marion, was awarded Faculty Honors for the spring 2016 semester at **Trinity College** in Hartford, Connecticut.


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Music from Across the Pond

The Marion Concert Band continues its summer concert series with a program of music from the British Isles on Friday, **August 5**. The program, which will feature several classic British Brass Band pieces as well as music from the Beatles and will include an appearance by members of the Cape Cod British Car Club, LTD (CCBCC), is as follows:

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The Cape Cod British Car Club, LTD (CCBCC) is a Massachusetts not-for-profit corporation whose membership annually exceeds 250. While members come from all over the world, most members are residents of southern New England. CCBCC members enjoy driving and displaying their English automobiles. Throughout the year, the CCBCC participates in events and raises funds for scholarship purposes. Annually, the club provides scholarships to automotive and auto body students at the Upper Cape Regional Technical School, the South Plymouth High School and the Cape Cod Regional Technical School. The club also provides funds towards a specific scholarship program available to Falmouth High School students.

The concert, under the direction of Tobias Monte, will begin at 7:00 pm, weather permitting, at the Robert Broomhead Bandstand, Island Wharf off Front Street in Marion. All concerts are free and open to the public. "Like" us on Facebook at "Marion Town Band" for up-to-date announcements and rain cancellation notices.

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August 16 - Prologue and Outbreak of War:

Mendell gives a broad overview of the nations of Europe as they were in the last half of the 19th century, and the circumstances that led to the outbreak of war in 1914.

August 23 - The Opening Phases: Strategies and Battle:

Mendell describes the failure of the initial German offensive, how the British Gallipoli Campaign was devised, and the importance of naval forces to the conflict. Lecture ends with the disastrous sinking of the *Lusitania*.

August 30 - Middle Phases: Major Battles and Events:

Some of the war's most notable battles and events played out in the context of changing warfare practices in the early 20th century.

September 6 - United States Entry & The Russian Revolution:

In his fourth lecture, Seth Mendell outlines the circumstances that brought the U.S. into the war and the impact of Lenin's ascendance in Russia.

September 13 - Ploughboys into Doughboys

- Collapse of Central Powers: This final entry of Seth Mendell's WWI series focuses on the American side of the conflict and the eventual surrender of Germany and the Central Powers.

If you have questions, please call the Mattapoissett Historical Society at 508 758 2844 or the Mattapoissett Free Public Library at 508-758-4171.

Bourne Wareham Art Show

On Saturday, July 30, the Bourne Wareham Art Association Art Show and Sale at Buzzards Bay Park was a beautiful day for all. Jack Harmsen was winner of the Clayton Fuller Best of Show Award with his oil painting, *Mae d' Aqua*#2.

Ribbon winners in other categories were:

Watercolor: #1 Starfish by Betty Beaulieu, #2 Winter Mystery by Sharman Moses; Oil and Acrylic: #1 Red Pottery by Carole Raymond, #3 Fall Marsh by D. McKowen, #4 Creation by Timothy Foley, Honorable Mention: Towering Grace by Karen Kolbinsky, Honorable Mention: At the Lake by Paula LaRue. Other winners were: Drawing/Pastel: #1 Bayou Reflections by Charles Wood, #2 Fun in the Sun by Jane Egan. Fine Crafts: #1 Cabinet of Chaos by Debbie Johnson, #2 1584 Jasper Pendant by Mary Nyman, #3 Black Pot with Blue Floral clay pot by Janet Lemee and Photography/Graphics: #1 Chinese Vegetables by Muriel Henault Lacklin, #2 Sakonnet Point by Nancy Sawyer.

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Afterschool at the Y

A new school year means a fresh start for kids – a chance to start new routines and habits, build new friendships and discover new possibilities and interests. Back-to-school is a fresh start for youth and the people who care for them. As children transition from summer to fall, YMCA Southcoast is offering programs to school-aged children throughout the Southcoast community to keep youth active, busy and engaged during out-of-school time. Through a holistic approach to youth development, the Y's program[s] offer[s] activities in a



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caring and safe environment during the critical hours after school. Whether through sports, mentorship, or academic support, the Y's afterschool program's staff nurtures the potential of youth throughout the school year.

At the end of the day when the school bell rings, 11.3 million kids are headed home to be unsupervised from 3:00 to 6:00 pm, according to the Afterschool Alliance, a nonprofit public awareness advocacy organization. With a new school year about to begin, YMCA Southcoast encourages parents/caregivers to make sure that children are involved in safe, educational experiences after school hours.

"Learning enrichment after school is essential to increasing children's success in school," said Kathleen Treglia, Executive Director of Education for YMCA Southcoast. "The opportunity to get additional learning and support, as well as participate in meaningful activities can inspire children's motivations and abilities to succeed."

The Y is a leading nonprofit committed to nurturing the potential of every child and teen, supporting their social-emotional, cognitive and physical development from birth to career. In the YMCA's afterschool programs, youth receive homework assistance and can also explore art, music, and have fun in the Y pool, playing organized sports and games in the gym, or on the climbing wall and hiking in our outdoor centers. Financial assistance is available to those in need, to ensure every child and teen has the opportunity to learn and grow at the Y and the Y accepts PACE Vouchers.

The YMCA Southcoast has adopted a set of Healthy Eating and Physical Activity standards in our afterschool programs that build a healthier future for our nation's children by providing healthy environments rich in opportunities for healthy eating and physical activity.

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State of Buzzards Bay Report

Harmful nitrogen pollution in Buzzards Bay did not get worse in 2015 for the first time in over a decade, reflecting an encouraging pause in the decline of the health of local harbors, coves and tidal rivers across the South Coast and Cape Cod's western shore, according to the Buzzards Bay Coalition's latest State of Buzzards Bay report.

After falling at a dramatic rate of three points every four years since 2003 – when the Coalition released its first State of Buzzards Bay report – the score for nitrogen pollution score levelled off in 2015.

“Since 2003, we have documented troubling trends in the health of Buzzards Bay. No factor has continued to suppress Bay health and restoration efforts more than nitrogen pollution,” said Buzzards Bay Coalition President Mark Rasmussen. “But local efforts to clean up nitrogen pollution from septic systems and sewer plants, as well as to prevent new sources of pollution, may be beginning to stop these declines.”

Nitrogen pollution is the biggest threat facing the health of Buzzards Bay. Data collected through the Coalition's Baywatchers monitoring program show that more than half of the Bay's harbors, coves, and tidal rivers suffer from nitrogen pollution – from West Falmouth Harbor all the way to the Westport Rivers. When water is polluted with nitrogen, it becomes cloudy and murky with algae, and fish, shellfish and eelgrass begin to disappear.

The State of Buzzards Bay uses nine different indicators to track the health of Buzzards Bay. These indicators are grouped into three categories: Pollution; Watershed Health; and Living Resources. Overall, Buzzards Bay received a score of 45 out of 100.

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 7:30 AM Senior Spot
 8:00 AM Deutsche Welle - Global 3000
 8:30 AM Deutsche Welle - Euromaxx
 9:00 AM Expedition New England
 9:30 AM The Chico and Bman Show
 10:00 AM Eat Well Be Happy
 10:30 AM Living Healthy With The Women In You
 11:00 AM The Collective Chat - Episode 4
 11:30 AM SouthCoast Matters
 12:00 PM Movie
 1:30 PM Navigating the Way for Seniors
 2:00 PM Senior Spot
 2:30 PM 30 Medical Minutes
 3:00 PM Just Coolin'
 4:00 PM The Register's Report
 4:30 PM Rochester Historical Society Presents - The History of Ice Cream
 5:10 PM Marion Natural History Museum - Cape Cod Shark Research
 6:30 PM Upper Cape Tech Presents Careers - Culinary Art Part 1
 7:00 PM White House Chronicle
 7:29 PM Voice of SouthCoast Women
 8:02 PM Get Connected with Conn Jackson
 8:30 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
 9:00 PM Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
 11:00 PM Reeling - The Movie Review Show
 11:30 PM Investigators Of The Unknown

Friday August 5, 2016

7:00 AM Seniorize
 7:30 AM Fast Forward - Contemporary Science Fiction
 8:00 AM Sippican Historical Society Oral History
 9:00 AM Senior Spot
 9:30 AM Physician Focus - July 2016
 10:00 AM 30 Medical Minutes
 10:30 AM Take it to Auction
 11:00 AM Going Deeper
 11:30 AM B Green Project
 12:00 PM Movie - The Joe Louis Story
 2:00 PM Legal Ease - Trusts
 2:30 PM The Language of Business - Competitive Industry Analysis
 3:00 PM The Fox Robbins Business Show
 3:30 PM Deutsche Welle - Euromaxx
 4:00 PM Deutsche Welle - Focus on Europe
 4:30 PM Deutsche Welle - Tomorrow and Today
 5:00 PM Deutsche Welle - Global 3000
 5:30 PM The Garage with Steve Butler
 6:00 PM Recipes Unwrapped - Episode 2 - Sliders and Salad
 6:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?

7:00 PM The Collective Chat - Episode 4
 7:30 PM The Steve Katsos Show
 8:00 PM Get Connected with Conn Jackson
 8:30 PM The Mario and Dennis Show
 9:00 PM Reeling - The Movie Review Show
 9:30 PM Wicked Housewives on Cape Cod
 10:00 PM Painting Journeys
 11:00 PM Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers

Saturday August 6, 2016

6:00 AM Saturday Morning Cartoon Festival
 8:30 AM The Childrens Corner
 9:00 AM Sci-Fi Journal - July 2016
 10:00 AM Sidewalks Entertainment
 10:30 AM The Collective Chat - Episode 4
 11:00 AM The Mario and Dennis Show
 11:30 AM Expedition New England
 12:00 PM Marion Independence Day Parade 2016
 12:30 PM Mattapoisett Road Race 2016
 1:30 PM Studio 105 Yoga Pilates
 2:30 PM Your Yoga Moment - Episode 1
 3:30 PM 4 Deep Sports
 4:00 PM Reeling - The Movie Review Show
 4:30 PM The Folklorist
 5:00 PM Link TV - World Music Block
 6:00 PM What's Linda Cooking?
 6:30 PM Recipes Unwrapped - Pizza
 7:00 PM The Steve Katsos Show
 7:30 PM Investigators Of The Unknown
 8:30 PM GarageX
 9:00 PM Penny Dreadful's Shilling Shockers
 11:00 PM Europe in Concert

Sunday August 7, 2016

6:00 AM Second Coming Church
 7:00 AM New Testament Church of Cedarville
 8:00 AM Music and the Spoken Word
 8:30 AM Community Baptist Church
 9:00 AM Life Matters
 9:30 AM First Congregational Church of Rochester
 11:00 AM Deutsche Welle - Global 3000
 11:30 AM Deutsche Welle - Tomorrow and Today
 12:00 PM Deutsche Welle - Focus on Europe
 12:30 PM Deutsche Welle - Euromaxx
 1:00 PM Your Federal Government
 2:00 PM The Commonwealth Report
 2:30 PM First Congregational Church of Rochester
 4:00 PM Senior Spot
 4:30 PM Navigating the Way for Seniors
 5:00 PM SouthCoast Matters
 5:30 PM Physician Focus
 6:00 PM Sippican Historical Society Oral History
 7:00 PM Studio 105 Yoga Pilates June 24 2016
 8:00 PM Your Feng Shui Guru with Megan

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 8:30 PM Mattapoisett Road Race 2016
 9:30 PM The Register's Report
 10:00 PM Legal Ease
 10:30 PM Money Matters TV
 11:00 PM Life Matters
 11:30 PM Music and the Spoken Word

Monday August 8, 2016

7:00 AM Seniorize
 7:30 AM Senior Spot
 8:00 AM Perils for Pedestrians
 8:30 AM Storytime at Carver Memorial Library
 9:00 AM Take it to the Auction
 9:30 AM The Language of Business
 10:00 AM Living Healthy With The Women In You
 10:30 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors
 11:00 AM What's Linda Cooking? - Pepper Steak
 11:30 AM Melissa's Menu
 12:00 PM Movie - White Zombie
 1:30 PM Garage X
 2:00 PM The Song - Kevin John Allen
 2:30 PM Just Coolin' - Wes Montgomery
 3:30 PM Wicked Housewives On Cape Cod
 4:00 PM Off the Shelf
 4:30 PM 30 Medical Minutes
 5:00 PM Living Healthy With The Women In You
 5:30 PM Recipes Unwrapped - Pizza
 6:00 PM What's Linda Cooking?
 6:30 PM Navigating the Way for Seniors
 7:00 PM The Fox Robbins Business Show
 7:30 PM Legal Ease
 8:00 PM Upper Cape Tech Presents Careers - Auto Damage Appraisal
 8:25 PM Your Yoga Moment - Episode 1
 9:02 PM Marion Independence Day Parade 2016
 9:30 PM Mattapoisett Road Race 2016
 10:30 PM Life Matters - #436
 11:00 PM The Steve Katsos Show
 11:30 PM The Mario and Dennis Show

Tuesday August 9, 2016

7:00 AM Seniorize
 7:30 AM Physician Focus - July 2016
 8:00 AM The Language of Business
 8:30 AM The Registers Report - 68
 9:00 AM What's Linda Cooking?
 9:30 AM Recipes Unwrapped - Pizza
 10:00 AM The Collective Chat - Episode 4 Interview 6
 10:30 AM Your Yoga Moment - Episode 1
 11:28 AM Off the Shelf
 12:00 PM Movie - Hercules Unchained
 2:00 PM Your Federal Government - Ep 35
 3:00 PM SouthCoast Matters
 3:30 PM Sippican Historical Society Oral

History
 4:30 PM Senior Spot
 5:00 PM Physician Focus - July 2016
 5:30 PM Eat Well Be Happy
 6:00 PM The Language of Business
 6:30 PM The Registers Report - 68
 7:00 PM Money Matters TV
 7:30 PM Reeling - The Movie Review Show
 8:00 PM The Folklorist
 8:30 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
 9:00 PM Sci-Fi Journal - July 2016
 10:00 PM Investigators Of The Unknown
 11:00 PM Deutsche Welle - Euromaxx
 11:30 PM Deutsche Welle - Focus on Europe

Wednesday August 10, 2016

7:00 AM Seniorize
 7:30 AM Marion Independence Day Parade 2016
 8:00 AM The Chico and Bman Show
 8:30 AM The Childrens Corner - Ice Cream Caper
 9:00 AM Storytime at Carver Memorial Library
 9:30 AM The Folklorist
 10:00 AM Sippican Historical Society Oral History
 11:00 AM Garage X
 12:00 PM Movie - The Last Man on Earth
 1:30 PM Perils for Pedestrians
 2:00 PM Deutsche Welle - Tomorrow and Today
 2:30 PM Deutsche Welle - Global 3000
 3:00 PM Sci-Fi Journal - June 2016
 4:00 PM Rochester Historical Society Presents - The History of Ice Cream
 4:54 PM Marion's Future - Preparing for Climate Change
 6:30 PM Upper Cape Tech Presents Careers - Auto Damage Appraisal
 7:00 PM Sippican Historical Society Oral History
 8:00 PM Mattapoisett Road Race 2016
 9:00 PM Marion Independence Day Parade 2016
 9:30 PM 4 Deep Sports
 10:30 PM Life Matters - #436
 11:00 PM From the Other Side - Insurance
 11:30 PM Reeling - The Movie Review Show

MARION GOVERNMENT

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Daily Schedule

10:00 AM Marion Conservation Commission - July 27, 2016
 11:30 AM Marion Planning Board - July 18, 2016
 1:30 PM Marion Board of Selectmen - July 12, 2016
 4:30 PM Marion Planning Board - July 18,

2016
 6:30 PM Marion Board of Selectmen - July 12, 2016
 8:30 PM Marion Conservation Commission - July 27, 2016

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT

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Daily Schedule

5:30 PM Rochester Planning Board - July 26, 2016
 11:30 AM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - July 14, 2016
 1:30 PM Rochester Board of Selectmen - July 25, 2016
 5:30 PM Rochester Planning Board - July 26, 2016
 6:30 PM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - July 14, 2016
 8:30 PM Rochester Planning Board - July 19, 2016

EDUCATION CHANNEL

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7:00 AM Sippican School Beginner Band Grade 4 Chorus Spring Concert 2016
 7:50 AM Sippican School 5th & 6th Grade Band Jazz Concert 2016
 8:55 AM ORRHS Underclassmen Awards Night 2016
 9:55 AM Mr. ORR 2016
 11:05 AM Sippican School Beginner Band Grade 4 Chorus Concert Spring 2016
 11:55 AM ORRHS Spring Concert 2016
 1:10 PM ORRHS Spring Bulldog TV 2016
 2:00 PM ORRHS TV Production - Music Videos 2016
 2:30 PM Back to the Future - Mrs. Brunelles English Class
 3:40 PM ORRHS Pre-school Slideshow 2016
 4:05 PM RMS Spring Concert 2016
 4:55 PM ORRHS Senior Assembly 2016
 6:35 PM ORRHS Graduation 2016 and Senior Walk at Sippican
 8:15 PM ORRHS Senior Promenade 2016
 8:50 PM ORRHS Senior Awards Night 2016

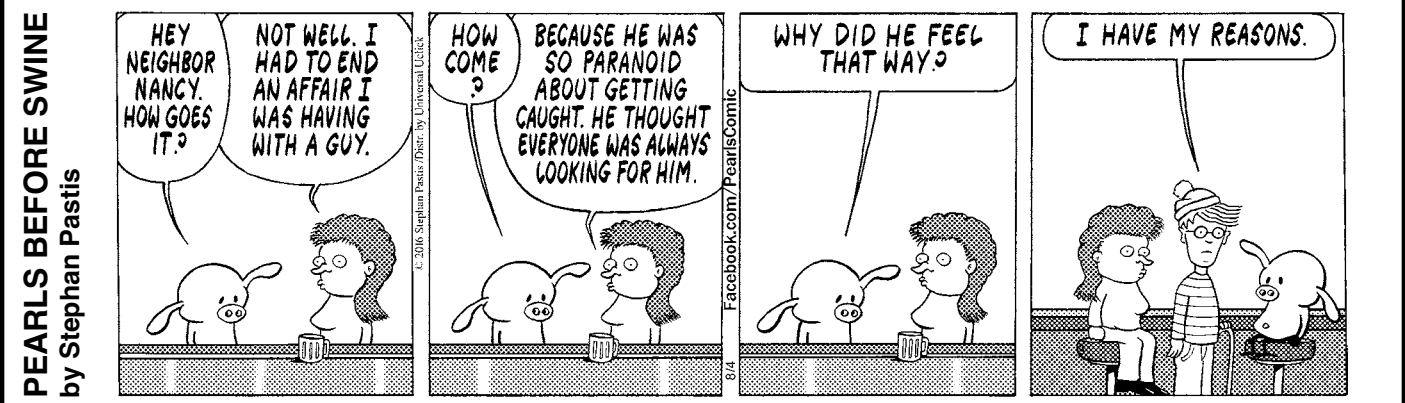
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10:00 AM Marion Conservation Commission - July 27, 2016
 11:30 AM Marion Planning Board - July 18, 2016
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Pollution (Nitrogen, Bacteria, Toxics): All three pollution indicators remained steady in the 2015 State of the Bay. Towns across the South Coast and Cape Cod are taking steps to reduce nitrogen pollution, and those actions are working to stop the Bay's decline. However, the bacteria and toxics scores have stagnated after steady improvement in past reports.

Watershed Health (Wetlands, Forests, Stream Buffers): Across the region, proactive land conservation and permitting at the local level led to another year of stability in the scores for wetlands, forests and stream buffers. These important habitats filter out nitrogen pollution and protect clean water in Buzzards Bay.

Living Resources (Eelgrass, Bay Scallops, River Herring): Overall, the score for eelgrass did not change in 2015, reflecting the reductions in nitrogen pollution, which impacts this underwater habitat. Bay scallops and river herring populations remain dangerously low in Buzzards Bay after stunning declines over the last several decades.

"While we celebrate the pause in Bay decline documented in this report, more work lies ahead to reclaim the Buzzards Bay of our parents' childhoods – a Bay of sparkling, clear water and abundant fish and shellfish," said Rasmussen. "The formula for pulling the Bay out of the hole we created is clear: continued vigilance to protect our most critical forests, wetlands and stream buffers, and bold action to clean up nitrogen



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Obituaries:

Claire A. Flynn, age 75, of Hidden Bay, South Dartmouth, formerly of Mattapoisett, died on Monday July 25, 2016 after a courageous fight against cancer. She was the devoted wife of the late Joseph Flynn, and dedicated mother of Joseph, Jr. and Margaret, and cherished grandmother of Deirdre and Brigid. Claire was a daughter of the late Eugene and Donald Boivin, and is survived by her sister, Diane Sullivan.

Claire was born in Rumford, Maine on July 14, 1941. She was graduated from Stephens High School. She earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in French and Spanish from Regis College. Claire's career in public education began in 1963, teaching at Brockton High School. After leaving public education to raise a family, she returned to teaching at Bridgewater-Raynham Regional High School and later moved to Old Rochester Regional Junior High School. She subsequently joined the teaching staff of Old Rochester Regional High School (ORRHS) and taught French, Spanish, and World History over the course of her career there. She was actively involved with the American Field Service Intercultural Program at ORRHS, participating in numerous cultural experiences and field trips with fellow colleagues, foreign exchange students, and hosting family students at ORRHS.

Upon her retirement from ORRHS in 1998, Claire took great pleasure in family events and activities and delighted in good conversation, usually sparked by the most recent book she enjoyed. Additionally, she was an inveterate traveler who frequented the Caribbean and Marco Island, FL. She volunteered as a patient advocate at St. Luke's Hospital and most recently volunteered as a teacher assistant at Nativity Preparatory School in New Bedford.

At Claire's request, funeral services will be private. Visiting hours are omitted. In lieu of flowers, remembrances in Claire's name may be made to the Nativity Preparatory School, 66 Spring Street, New Bedford, MA 02740. Arrangements are with the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home For Funerals, 50 County Rd., Route 6, Mattapoisett. For online condolence, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Thelma L. (Leahey) Storer, 86, of Mattapoisett passed away Thursday, July 28, 2016 surrounded by her beloved family after a courageous fight with a brief illness. She was the loving wife of the late William J. Storer.

Born in Fall River, a daughter of the late Frank E. and Sarah C. (Farnham) Leahey she was a lifelong area resident and a long time communicant of Holy Name of the Sacred Heart of

Jesus Church.

Thelma was a graduate of Bryant College who enjoyed traveling and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her four sons, Daniel E. Storer and his wife Rebecca of Lakeville, Brian F. Storer and his wife Lisa of E. Sandwich, Christopher J. Storer of Mattapoisett, and William J. Storer and his wife Elsa of Oceanside, CA; nieces, Kim Goncalo of Tiverton, RI and Sharon Coffman of San Antonio, TX; nephews, George Leahey, Jr. of New Bedford, Dennis Leahey of Fairhaven, and Timothy Leahey of New Bedford; grandchildren, Melissa, Chris, Ryan, Nicholas, Sarah, Thomas, Shane, Jessica, and Jillian and sister-in-law, Jean Pelletier of New Bedford. She was the sister of the late George F. Leahey and June E. Laubach and aunt of the late Kenneth Olsen.

Her funeral was held on Monday, August 1, 2016 from the Waring-Sullivan Home at Fairlawn, 180 Washington St., Fairhaven followed by a funeral mass in Holy Name of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Church, 121 Mt. Pleasant St., New Bedford. Burial was private. Visitation was held on Sunday. In lieu of flowers, donations in her honor may be made to Alzheimer's Association, 311 Arsenal St., Watertown, MA 02472. www.waring-sullivan.com for directions/online tribute.



Michael L. O'Brien, age 66, passed away July 28, 2016 after a period of declining health.

He was the son of the late John and Alice (Norton) O'Brien. He was the beloved father of Oliver, Molly, and Katherine and grandfather of Sophia and Lola. He is also survived by his brothers Kevin, Sean and Peter; his sister Jane;

and his former wife Nancy L. O'Brien.

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OBITUARIES

Born in New Bedford on May 10, 1950, he graduated from Old Rochester Regional High School and UMass Dartmouth. He taught at Rochester Memorial while earning a Master's degree in Public Administration from Suffolk University. He worked at SRPRED for several years and then earned his J.D. from New England School of Law. He served as an assistant district attorney in both New Bedford and Fall River before entering private practice.

Michael spent most of his life in Mattapoisett, a town that he loved and the place he felt most happy. He served for many years on the Finance Committee and as an assessor. He took pleasure in coaching his children's MYAA basketball teams. A lifelong Democrat he worked on many area political campaigns and served on the Town Democratic Committee for years.

Visiting hours were held on Tuesday, August 2nd in the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home For Funerals, 50 County Rd. (Rt. 6) Mattapoisett. In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to Mattapoisett Recreation, P.O.Box 435, 16 Main St. Town Hall, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. For guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Janice Louise (Heintzelman) O'Pezio, 80, of Melbourne, FL, formerly of Mattapoisett died unexpectedly at home on Thursday, July 28, 2016.

Jan was born in Lewisburg, Pennsylvania, the second daughter of the late Merritt and Thelma (Snyder) Heintzelman. She moved to Connecticut with her family at an early age, and resided there until she met, and later married Lawrence "Larry" O'Pezio, in 1956. They celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary in June.

She is survived by her husband Larry; two sons, Michael O'Pezio and his wife Kathy of Chesapeake, VA and Thomas O'Pezio and his wife Kelley of Mattapoisett; four granddaughters, Heather O'Pezio and her partner Colin Spencer of Norfolk, VA, Danielle del Rosario and her husband Brandon of Portsmouth, VA, Elizabeth O'Pezio and her partner Ross Macedo and Caroline O'Pezio, all of Mattapoisett.

She was the sister of the late Dolores Ross and M. Carl Heintzelman.

Jan, an avid mah-jongg player, and was active in the South Guild of the Brevard Symphony Orchestra, a cause that was dear to her heart. She also had an everlasting love for dogs.

Contributions in her name may be made to the South Guild, Brevard Symphony Orchestra, PO Box

361965, Melbourne, FL 32936-1965 or PAWS New England c/o Marie Klinch, 15 Whittier Place, Haverhill, MA 01832. Private arrangements are with the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Road, Route 6, Mattapoisett. For guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

Joseph Christopher Higgins Jr., of Marion and Vero Beach, FL, passed away August 1, 2016. He was the beloved husband of Catharine (Reagan) Higgins and father of Joseph C. Higgins III and his wife Kim of Danvers, Molly C. Mahn of Pennington, NJ, Catharine M. Higgins of Mt. Pleasant, SC, Robert R. Higgins and his wife Michelle of Chatham, NJ, Michael P. Higgins and his wife Maria of Rochester, Timothy J. Higgins and his wife Kristen of Pennington, NJ and Philip C. and his husband Matthew Smith of Salem. Joe is also survived by 23 grandchildren. He was the brother of Eleanor Rodgers of Portland, ME, Alice Slattery of Framingham, Evelyn Beveridge of Scituate, James F. Higgins of Jupiter, FL, John Higgins of Jamaica Plain and the late Mary Nash.

Joe was the retired President and Chairman of J.C. Higgins Mechanical Contractors.

His funeral will be held on Friday August 5th at 10:45 AM from the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Road (Rt. 6), Mattapoisett, followed by his Funeral Mass at Saint Anthony's Church, 22 Barstow Street, Mattapoisett at 12 Noon. Visiting hours will be held on Thursday August 4th from 3-7 PM. In lieu of flowers, donations in Joe's memory may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, P.O. Box 50, Memphis, TN 38101-9929. For online condolence, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com

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and Spike. The play was penned by the popular and prolific Christopher Durang and had a successful run on Broadway, garnering several major theater awards, to include a 2013 Tony Award for Best Play. Described by *The New York Times* as a “sunny new play about gloomy people,” it follows three middle-aged siblings and their two quirky cohorts as they navigate the complexities of life, woven amidst several themes from Russian playwright Anton Chekov’s classic works.

Under the direction of Kate Fishman, the siblings and their cohorts will be brought to life by a talented cast of actors that includes Barbie Burr, David Horne, Suzie Kokkins, Cynthia Latham, Adam Roderick and Sam Roderick. The production will run **August 11, 12, 13 and 18, 19, 20** at 7:30 pm. The Marion Art Center theater will be arranged with general seating, as well as eight cabaret tables, which are available for reserved parties of four. As seating is limited, reservations are highly recommended. Tickets are \$18 for the public and \$15 for MAC members. Reservations may be made by calling the Marion Art Center at 508-748-1266 or emailing marionartcenter@verizon.net.

Tobey Hospital Guild Annual Meeting

The Tobey Hospital Guild will hold its annual meeting on Thursday, **September 29** beginning at noon at the Rosebrook Event Center in Wareham. Community members are invited to attend the event, and in particular

the panel discussion which begins at 1:30 pm.

Guest speakers for the panel discussion are Dr. David McGinnis, Chairman of the Tobey Hospital Emergency Department; Kevin Walsh, Wareham Police Chief; and Jeanne Flynn, mother of the late Brian Flynn. They will speak on the opioid crisis that is affecting the young and adult populations in our communities.

The Tobey Hospital Guild supports the hospital, its not-for-profit subsidiaries, its patients, and promotes the health and welfare of the community. The Guild also raises money throughout the year by hosting various fundraisers and running the hospital gift shop with all proceeds going to Tobey Hospital.

For more information on attending the annual meeting or panel discussion, please call 508-973-5752.

NBSO Single Concert Tickets

The New Bedford Symphony Orchestra will release individual concert tickets for sale beginning August 5. The 2016-2017 NBSO season promises to be an exciting one, with four classical concerts planned to showcase the music director finalists, as well as the annual Holiday Pops concerts and an exciting season finale featuring the music of John Williams. Learn more about the concert season by visiting www.nbsymphony.org or by calling the NBSO at 508-999-6276.

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MOVIE REVIEW

No Joke

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Batman: The Killing Joke. With the voices of Kevin Conroy and Mark Hamill. Directed by Sam Liu. Running time: 76 minutes. MPAA rating: R.

There's a whole lot to unpack in *Batman: The Killing Joke*, an animated effort shown in theaters for two nights before its debut on DVD and Blu-ray this week. Based on a lionized 1988 comics story written by Alan Moore (*Watchmen*) and drawn by Brian Bolland, the movie supposedly asks, as the comic did, why some people respond to trauma by going mad and others get stronger. Moore's story did this by setting up the classic antagonists Batman and the Joker as two men deformed by grief in their own ways. One man became a hero, determined to make sure no one else was murdered in an alley like his parents were. The other man became a supervillain, an anarchist cackling at the cold cruelty of the universe. Dark as Batman is, he's essentially an optimist — he believes his holy war on crime matters — while the Joker is a nihilist.

Whatever depth survives into the movie comes from Moore's script — a script he himself disavowed years ago, uncomfortable with its grimness and with the way it handled Batgirl, a.k.a. Barbara Gordon, the crimefighting daughter of Batman's tacit colleague on the Gotham police force, Commissioner Gordon. The Joker disables Barbara with a bullet to her spine, then kidnaps her father and torments him with photos of her naked and in anguish. Why? To prove that anyone is only "one bad day" away from being a basket case like the Joker, who on top of being disfigured also lost his wife and unborn child in a random accident.

The *Killing Joke* comic is rather short, so the movie pads things out by devoting its first full half hour to Batgirl. Screenwriter Brian Azzarello invents a smooth gangster who calls himself Paris Franz, who's obsessed with Batgirl. When she isn't trying to catch Franz, Batgirl is mooning after Batman and, eventually, having sex with him on a rooftop under the watchful eye of a gargoyle. Aside from being pointless, this extended prologue makes the story about Batgirl, a focus and emphasis it was never designed to bear. Yes, Moore later regretted what he'd done to Batgirl (with DC Comics' enthusiastic editorial indulgence, creepily enough), and the way his story uses her as a way to test her dad's mettle is unfortunate at best. But expanding her role before the story proper begins doesn't add any weight to her suffering; it just turns the story into *The Sorrows of Young Barbara*, first sexualized by Franz, then rebuffed by Batman,



and finally brutalized by the Joker.

It's good, though, that a post-credits scene sets Barbara up as Oracle, a wheelchair-bound but brilliant and powerful hero who fought crime via computers for years after her injury. And there's little quibbling to be made about the vocal talent here — *Killing Joke* reunites Kevin Conroy, Mark Hamill, and Tara Strong, who respectively voiced Batman, the Joker, and Batgirl in *The New Batman Adventures*. There are some Easter eggs for longtime Batfans, such as a monitor in the Batcave showing various iterations of the Joker over the decades, nodding to Nicholson and Ledger. If you don't expect this *Killing Joke* to pack the wallop it did when you first read it 28 years ago, it's smoothly rendered. Once it gets to Moore's story, it's slavishly faithful, which means it eagerly reproduces every element that has struck readers as problematic for the last few decades (including its continuing insistence on referring to the dark ride Commissioner Gordon takes as a "ghost train"). Still, as with the animated adaptations of *The Dark Knight Returns* and *Batman: Year One*, if all you ever wanted was to see the iconic Batman story in motion, here it is.

One other thing: *Batman: The Killing Joke* is rated R (for "bloody images and disturbing content"). It's not the first DC superhero film to be so classified: the "ultimate edition" of *Batman v Superman* released on Blu-ray a couple weeks back earned an R for increased violence. This sort of thing — age-restricted versions of superheroes that began as kids' entertainment — is what Alan Moore came to disdain, though his own work popularized the trend towards grim and gritty. More off-putting than the violence here — which isn't much worse than in the PG-13 *Dark Knight Returns* — is a moment when a gangster refers to the Caped Crusader and Batgirl as "Batman and his bitch" (an addition by Azzarello, not Moore). Not to sound paternalistic, but I think young girls who like Batman (and Batgirl) and might want to see this movie can probably wait a few years before hearing that particular insult. They'll be hearing it soon enough and often enough. They don't need to hear it in a movie about a man who dresses as a bat and fights crime.

person at 684 Purchase Street, New Bedford, or by calling the box office at 508-994-2900, during box office hours: Tues-Fri 10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Saturday 10:00 am - 3:00 pm. Concert tickets may also be purchased online 24/7 through the NBSO website at www.nbsymphony.org. Tickets are \$25-\$60 for classical performances and \$15-\$38 for the Holiday Pops concerts. Box office orders are subject to a \$5 processing fee, and tickets purchased online or by phone are subject to a \$3.50 per ticket convenience fee. Tickets for children and students under age 22 are always \$10 and are available by calling or visiting the box office (not available online).

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Summer Adult Wharf Dance

The Mattapoisett Track Club is sponsoring an adult dance on Holmes Wharf again this summer. Join your friends on Saturday, **August 20** from 8:00 to 11:00 pm for an evening of the music you loved when you were a teen. Cost of admission is \$10 and all proceeds go to benefit the summer track program. The Mattapoisett Track Club is registered 503c with an all-volunteer board.

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Gateway Youth Hockey

The Gateway Youth Hockey program announces the offering of a new girl's developmental program for the upcoming 2016-17 season. The program will be offered to girls of all ages interested in learning the fundamentals of playing hockey in an exclusive environment of girls only. The program will be heavily focused on learning through November and will add scrimmages in addition



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TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights July 24–July 30

- Village Dr – Noise complaint
- Wareham Rd – Larceny/past
- Route 105 – Health/welfare
- Shawondasse Rd - Disturbance
- Olde Knoll Rd – Officer wanted
- Cottage St – Fire/gas leak
- Wareham Rd – Health/welfare
- Wareham Rd – EMS/medical
- Front St – Larceny/past
- Water St – EMS/medical
- Front St – Officer wanted
- Cross Neck Rd – Fire/brush
- Wareham Rd - Disturbance
- Point Rd – 911 abandoned
- Spring St – MV collision
- Jenney Ln – Health/welfare
- Marion Harbor – Waterways emergency
- Allen’s Point Rd – EMS/medical
- Water St – EMS/medical
- Cross Neck Rd – Fire/brush
- Front St – MV collision
- Joanne Dr – Officer wanted
- Front St – Officer wanted
- Spring St – Noise complaint
- Point Rd – MV collision
- Mill St – Health/welfare
- Point Rd - Disturbance
- Cottage St – EMS/medical
- Point Rd – Noise complaint

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights July 24–July 30

- Acushnet Rd – MV/use w/out authority
- Fairhaven Rd – Suspicious MV
- Fairhaven Rd – MV lockout
- Neds Point Rd – Disturbance
- County Rd – B&E/structure
- Church St - Disturbance
- Aucoot Rd – Suspicious persons
- County Rd – Restraining order
- Brandt Island Rd – House check
- Lynfield Ln – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Water St – Officer wanted
- Crystal Spring Rd – MV lockout
- North St – MV crash
- County Rd – MV lockout
- Baptist St – Ambulance request
- Acushnet Rd – Medical assist
- Industrial Dr – 911 call
- Homestead Ct - Disturbance
- Silver Shell Ave – B&E/MV
- Fairhaven Rd – B&E/structure
- Mechanic St – MV crash
- Mattapoisett Neck Rd - Complaint
- County Rd – 911 call
- Homestead Ct - Disturbance
- Brandt Island Rd – Missing person
- Pinehurst Ave - Disturbance
- Homestead Ct - Disturbance
- Marion Rd – Officer wanted
- Marion Rd – Follow up investigation

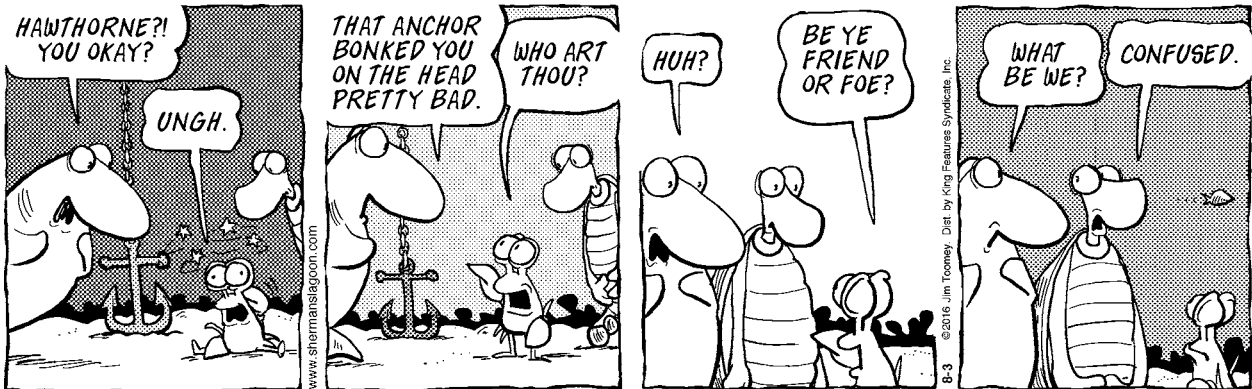
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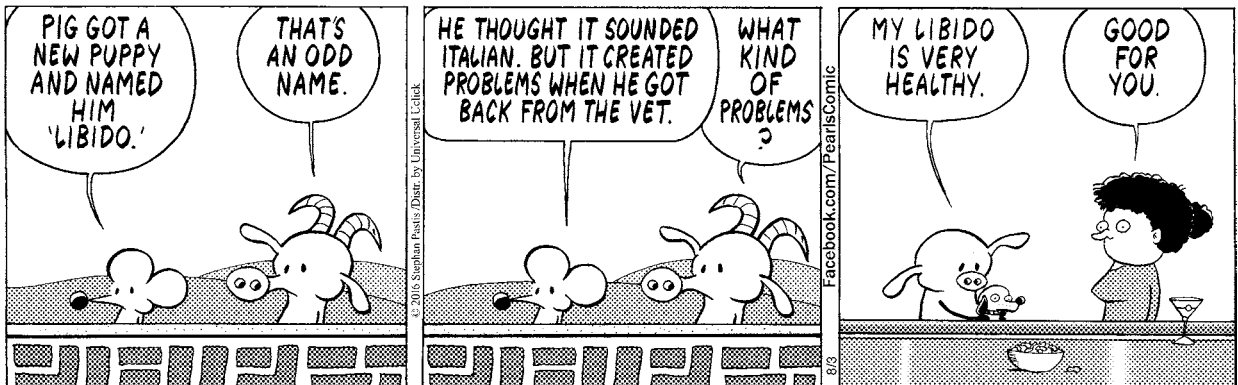
- North Ave – Officer wanted
- Gerrish Rd – Noise complaint
- Ryder Rd – Investigation/follow up
- Ryder Rd – Serve warrant/arrest
- Forbes Rd – Officer wanted
- Mattapoisett Rd – Officer wanted
- Mendell Rd - Lockout
- Snipatuit Rd – Ambulance request
- Dexter Ln – 911 abandoned
- Walnut Plain Rd – Ambulance request
- Stevens Rd - Lockout
- Mendell Rd – Ambulance request
- Cranberry Hwy – Officer wanted
- Rounseville Rd – MV stop/arrest
- Featherbed Ln - Complaint
- Bishop Rd – Suspicious activity
- North Ave – MV accident
- Mendell Rd – Ambulance request
- Walnut Plain Rd – Officer wanted
- Rounseville Rd – Officer wanted
- Dexter Ln – Officer wanted
- Neck Rd – Noise complaint
- Neck Rd – Suspicious person-P/C
- Estabrook Way – Officer wanted
- Mendell Rd – Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Hathaway Pond Cir – Ambulance request
- Estabrook Way - Vandalism
- High St – MV accident
- Wordell St – Noise complaint

For a full PDF of the three town’s police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.

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to the practice schedule during the early months of 2017. The overall emphasis of the program is to offer a learning environment focused on girls only for all girls interested in learning how to play ice hockey. The fall session will run from 11:00 - 11:50 am for 12 weeks starting September 11 and ending November 27. The cost for the 12-week program will be \$149. The cost includes 12 practice sessions and a player jersey to keep. To register, please send name, address, email, applicant's name and age, and a check to Gateway Youth Hockey, P.O. Box 742, Wareham, MA 02571.

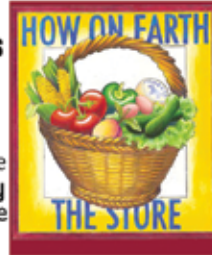
The Gateway Youth Hockey program is announcing the schedule for the fall session of Learn to Skate/Play. The program is offered to all ages interested in learning to skate or learning the fundamentals of playing hockey. The fall session will run for eight weeks starting on September 16 at 6:00 pm at Tabor Academy and running concurrent Friday evenings from 6:00 - 7:00 pm to November 4. The cost for the eight-week program will be \$99. The cost includes eight practice sessions and a player jersey to keep. To register, please send name, address, email, applicant's name and age, and a check to Gateway Youth Hockey, P.O. Box 742, Wareham, MA 02571.

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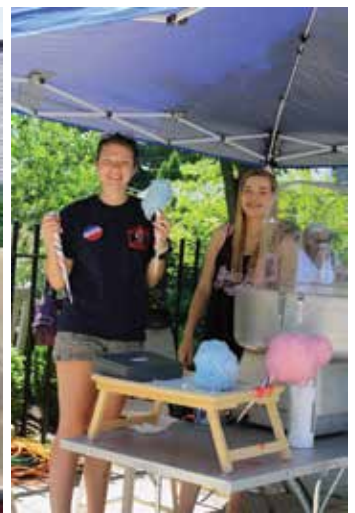
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TRITOWN HAPPENINGS



Saturday, July 30, was the day of the annual Super Duper Fun Fair, put on by the First Congregational Church of Marion. There were games, a white elephant, plant sale, book sale, antiques, food, and, of course, cotton candy. Photos by Jean Perry



These photos and more are available online at www.wanderer.com

season. Rehearsals are starting soon, and we'd love to see you there.

We are a group of local singers who love to lend our voices to this large and inviting group. The rehearsals are a lot of fun and are certainly an educational experience, as our new director, Dr. Tianxu Zhou, leads us through the many ins and outs and nuances of the music he selects for our group. He is always very respectful of all of our members, and you will be very comfortable during the process and amazed at how he coaxes the best out of everyone. The end result is a completely well-rehearsed and balanced chorus accompanied flawlessly by not only our incredible rehearsal accompanist, Michelle Gordon, but also by the hand-picked orchestra members who fill out our sound, delighting every audience member.

The Sippican Choral Society is a volunteer organization and does not require auditioning; however, there is a select Chamber Chorus that requires an audition should you choose to participate.

Rehearsals start on Monday, **September 12** from 7:30 to 9:30 pm at the Mattapoissett Congregational Church Auditorium. Our Christmas 2016 concert will be presented on December 2 at St. Lawrence Church, New Bedford, and December 4 at Wickenden Chapel, Marion.

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TRITOWN HAPPENINGS



Tuesday, August 2, was the annual National Night Out Against Crime on the school grounds of Old Rochester Regional. The Mattapoisett, Marion, and Rochester Police Departments were joined by the Tri-Town Fire and EMS Departments, Marion Harbormaster, and Marion Recreation. The event aims to help prevent drug abuse and encourage camaraderie between citizens and first responders. Photos by Andrea Ray



The Marion COA and Friends of the Marion COA held a first anniversary luncheon on August 1. During the meeting they recognized Joanne Mahoney



(right) for her efforts in securing the Marion Music Hall for social activities and for drawing attention to the needs of senior citizens in the community.



More than 25 residents of Little Neck Village in Marion recently celebrated the property's 5th annual Summer Hawaiian Luau. Residents enjoyed traditional Hawaiian food and entertainment that included a sing along, limbo, drums and a resident dance contest.

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Mariner Youth Soccer Fall Program

The Mariner Youth Soccer Fall Program is now open for registration. The program runs on Saturdays from September 10 - November 5 at the Mariner Youth Soccer Fields located in Fairhaven. Programs are offered to children ages 4-14. There is no residency requirement.

Come join Mariner Youth Soccer this fall! Register now to reserve your spot: <http://marineryouthsoccer.com/site/ClientSite/article/1194793> or contact fallsoccer@marineryouthsoccer.com.

MHS Walking Tour

A Walking Tour of historic Mattapoisett Village will start at the Mattapoisett Historical Society at 5 Church Street at 2:00 pm on **August 13**. Learn from Seth Mendell about historic buildings, the electric rail, the saltworks on Goodspeed's Island, the Charles King Mansion at the mouth of the river, and "The Dude Special." Visualize the building of whale ships in the park and how the British attempted to burn the shipyards during the War of 1812. The duration of the walk is approximately one hour and a quarter. Members are free; non-members \$5. For more information, please call 508-758-2844 or email mattapoisett.museum@verizon.net.

Rochester Country Fair Pig Roast BBQ

The Rochester Country Fair is happy to announce the addition of a Pig Roast BBQ to this summer's Rochester Country Fair.

The 17th Annual Rochester Country Fair is scheduled to take place Thursday, August 18 through Sunday, August 21 at 65 Pine Street. The four-day event provides old-fashioned and agricultural minded entertainment for both the young and young at heart. So why not enjoy a Pig Roast BBQ, too?



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Tazz's BBQ & Pig Roast will be preparing a BBQ Pork Shoulder Dinner which will be served at 6:00 pm on Saturday, **August 20**. The dinner will also include BBQ baked beans, potato salad and applesauce. Beverages will be available for purchase at the Fair.

Tickets must be purchased in advance for \$25 each. Ticket includes admission to the Fair on Saturday. You may purchase your tickets at the Ponderosa (located at 242 Robinson Rd, Acushnet), or by contacting any of the Fair Committee directly via Facebook or rochestercountryfair@comcast.net.

Additional fair information can be obtained by visiting our website www.rochesterma.com



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Super Crossword

WHERE DID IT GO?

ACROSS

- 1 Cover again, as a gift
- 7 Slyly spiteful
- 12 The "E" of NEA: Abbr.
- 16 "Hulk" director — Lee
- 19 R&B singer Keys
- 20 Degrade
- 21 Bite-size Nabisco treat
- 23 Actress Swank comes next?
- 25 "That's been canceled"
- 26 Large truck
- 27 Singer — James
- 28 Sign of good or ill
- 29 Disobeys established rules on how to make and serve meat sauce?
- 37 Shaped like a bagel
- 38 "What —!" ("How dull!")
- 39 Ship locale
- 40 Donkey serving morning meals?

- 45 Biblical land with a queen
- 50 "Say it — so, Joe!"
- 51 Cuts into small cubes
- 52 Chi preceder
- 55 Landfill woe
- 56 Classic autos
- 57 Made in the manner of
- 58 Hairdo for folks going after prey?
- 62 Detroit-to-Nashville dir.
- 63 "Mr. —" (1983 hit for Styx)
- 66 Ropy
- 67 Sun blockers worn while on vacation?
- 72 Ireland's longest river
- 75 Events for bulldoggers
- 76 Cut grass
- 79 Business that makes flag holders?
- 81 Join together
- 84 Lion growth
- 85 "— further review ..."
- 86 Grassy area
- 87 In harmony
- 89 Met solo
- 90 Must-haves

- 92 Positively charged atom moving very quickly?
- 97 One may shout "Out!"
- 100 Brutish types
- 101 Is defined as
- 102 Groups with no university teachers as members?
- 110 Sector
- 111 Hipsters' talk
- 112 Roman poet
- 113 Shrink
- 115 Thing influencing the decision to use whitewash?
- 123 Aardvark lookalike
- 124 Bring to mind
- 125 Bit of ado
- 126 Part of UCLA bulldoggers
- 127 Ship's left
- 128 Keyed in
- 129 Biting writing

- 6 Check endorser
- 7 "Pipe down!"
- 8 Crunchable muscles
- 9 Upsilon
- 10 Mao — -tung
- 11 "It's true"
- 12 Gives forth
- 13 Quaint paper copies
- 14 Hazardous
- 15 Org. in "Homeland"
- 16 Eatery lure
- 17 Israeli desert
- 18 Stupid or thuggish
- 22 — about (circa)
- 24 Mime duo?
- 27 Fancy jug
- 29 Fishing rowboats
- 30 Before this time, to bards
- 31 Royal decrees
- 32 Abhorrence
- 33 Fades away
- 34 Coach Holtz
- 35 Part of ETA: Abbr.
- 36 Sedan liquid
- 37 Some ski lifts
- 41 Rx org.
- 42 Bring pain to

- 43 Neck cover
- 44 Make a pick
- 46 Neighbors of Navajos
- 47 Ideal garden
- 48 Tennis' Björn
- 49 Military force
- 53 Cat sound
- 54 Really liking
- 58 "Hiya"
- 59 — Reader (alternative magazine)
- 60 De — (anew)
- 61 Cur's sound
- 64 Other, to Tomás
- 65 Great asset
- 67 Sideways up
- 68 Dad's bro
- 69 Wrench, e.g.
- 70 "This one's —" ("I'll buy")
- 71 "The battle —"
- 72 Rotated
- 73 Expect
- 74 Emollient plant
- 76 "Maid" of Robin Hood
- 77 Kin of leeks
- 78 Gets off the bottle
- 80 Faux follower
- 82 H.S. class
- 83 Winter mo.
- 84 San — (Bay Area city)

- 87 Yemen city
- 88 "Of course, Señor!"
- 91 Spanish for "south"
- 93 Skin feature
- 94 Grade A item
- 95 Slice of history
- 96 "Star Wars" queen
- 98 Rum cocktail
- 99 Xanax maker
- 102 Tennis' Rafael
- 103 Maine university city
- 104 Pond creatures
- 105 Window part
- 106 Open to view
- 107 Divided into districts
- 108 Batting stat
- 109 Slight fights
- 114 Enervate
- 115 "— me go!"
- 116 It climbs walls
- 117 Do a floor job
- 118 "I Like —" ('50s slogan)
- 119 Abridge
- 120 Angle lead-in
- 121 Bobby of the rink
- 122 Dark deli loaf

DOWN

- 1 Rally cheer
- 2 — Lilly
- 3 Wheaton of TV and film
- 4 Blu-ray
- 5 Ill from flying

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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A misunderstanding tests the temperament of the sometimes headstrong Aries. Instead of blowing your top, take time for a pleasant diversion while things cool down.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) A workplace problem could make the divine Bovine see red. But talk it out before you consider walking out. Some surprising facts emerge that change your earlier focus.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) You face a choice between ignoring your uneasy feelings about your relationship with that special person and demanding explanations. A close friend offers wise counsel.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A change you'd been hoping for carries an unexpected complication. Stay the course, and things will work themselves out. Be sure to make time for family and friends.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Aspects favor spending time with loved ones. On the job, new ideas are generally welcomed. But some demands for changes could cause problems. Be ready to defend your choices.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Good news: That workplace problem is close to being resolved with results that should please everyone. Take time off to indulge your love of fun and games.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Most of the time you are the most unflappable person around. But be ready to be thrown off-balance in the nicest way when Cupid takes aim in your direction.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) It's not often when someone tries to "sting" the sharp-witted Scorpion. But it can happen. Continue to be skeptical about anything that seems too good to be true.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your strong sense of self-esteem helps you serve as a role model for someone who needs personal reassurances. Your efforts pay off in an unexpected way.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Someone close considers revealing a painful secret. Withhold judgment. Instead, open your generous heart, and offer dollops of your love and understanding.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Your talents as a peacemaker are called upon once more as an old problem re-emerges with new complications. Move cautiously in order to avoid falling into hidden traps.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Your artistic side is enhanced with the reception given to your new project. Use this success as encouragement toward fulfilling your larger goals.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your natural sense of leadership is combined with a deep sense of responsibility. People trust you to give them both guidance and understanding.

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Town of Marion Water Restriction

The following mandatory water restriction will be in effect from June 15 through September 15. The use of any outside watering is prohibited except between the hours of 6:00 am and 8:00 am, and between the hours of 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday for even street-numbered homes, and Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for odd-street numbered homes. Residents may wash vehicles and water plants on Sundays by means of a hand-held hose between the hours of 6:00 am and 12:00 noon.

This restriction will be strictly enforced. Any person violating this State of Water Supply Conservation Bylaw shall be liable to the Town in the amount of \$50 for the first violation and \$100 for each subsequent violation. If you have any questions, please contact the Marion DPW at 508-748-3540.

Annual Marion Town Party

The Annual Marion Town Party will be held on Saturday, **August 27** (rain date is Sunday, August 28) on the grounds of the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street. Festivities begin at 4:00 pm.

Proceeds will be distributed between the Marion Firefighters Association and Marion Recreation to benefit local community needs.

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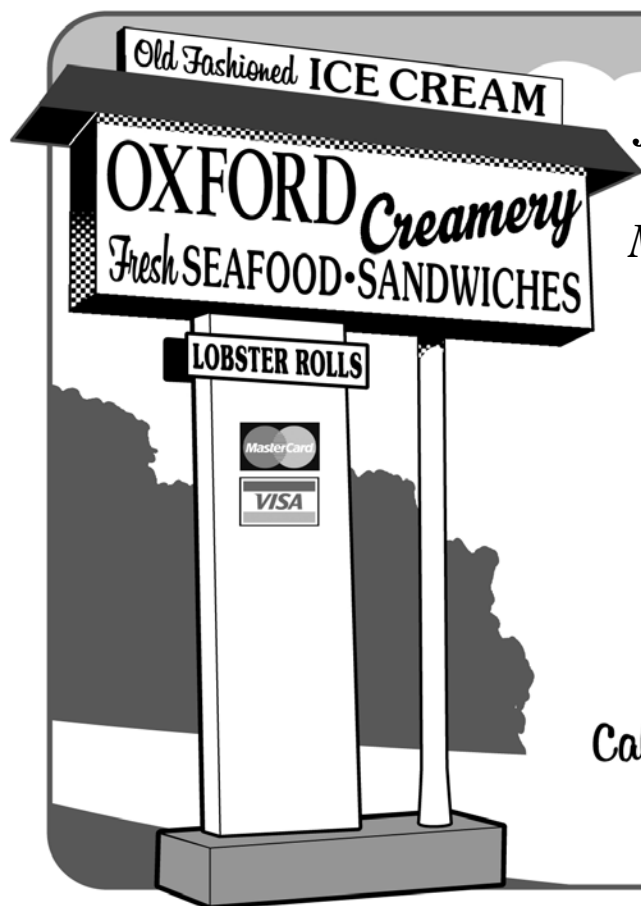
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Once again organizers are seeking corporate sponsors. We will have different levels of sponsorship. Also, we will be selling advertising space in the Town Party booklet. This is a great opportunity for local businesses to get the word out and advertise their businesses.

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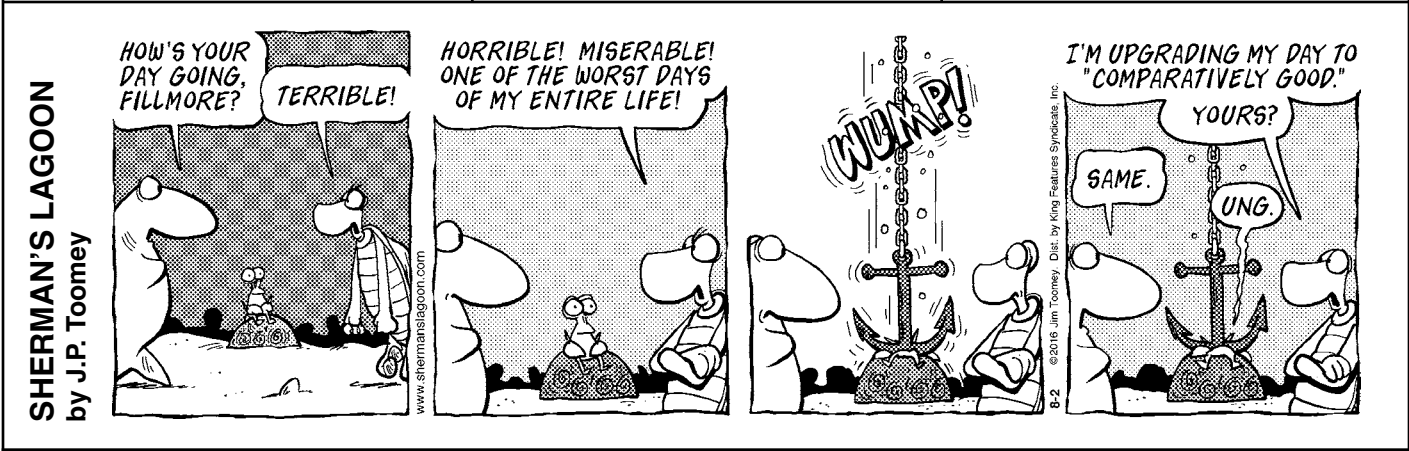
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<p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF SELECTMEN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Marion Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at 7:05 pm in the Marion Police Station meeting room, 550 Mill Street, Marion, to consider the Commercial Shellfish Aquaculture License application of SHEA DOONAN to construct and maintain an aquaculture project located off of Meadow Island. Information regarding the request is available for review at the Board of Selectmen's office, 2 Spring Street, Marion. Jonathan E. Dickerson, Chairman 7/28, 8/4</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION PLANNING BOARD PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>On Monday, August 15, 2016, the Marion Planning Board will hold a public hearing to discuss a vote to amend the Subdivision Rules and Regulations paragraph 4.4.1 which presently reads "Rainfall data shall be as determined from the Atlas of Precipitation Extremes for the North-eastern United States and Southeastern Canada published in 1993 by Cornell University" to change to "Rainfall data shall be as determined from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) Atlas 14 dated September 30, 2015 providing precipitation data for New England and New York or the document with the most recent date".</p> <p>The public hearing will be held at the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, Massachusetts 02738 at 7:10 pm in the Main Conference Room. The public is invited to attend and be heard on this proposal. Robert H. Lane, Chairman Steven J. Kokkins, Vice-Chairman 7/28, 8/4</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF SELECTMEN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Marion Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, August 16, 2016 at 7:35 pm in the Marion Police Station meeting room, 550 Mill Street, Marion, to consider the request of KATE ROSS for an entertainment license at Kate's Simple Eats, 148 Front Street. Information regarding the request is available for review at the Board of Selectmen's office, 2 Spring Street, Marion. Jonathan E. Dickerson, Chairman 7/28, 8/4</p>	<p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH LEGAL NOTICE</p> <p>The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, August 9, 2016 at 4:45 pm in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by G.A.F. Engineering, Inc. pertaining to the property located at 788 Mill Street, further identified as Map 17, Lot 8.</p> <p>The following variance is requested to Title 5 of the State Environmental Code: 310 CMR 15.405: To allow the use of a sieve analysis report rather than a percolation test. Elizabeth S. Dunn, Chairman 7/28, 8/4</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS LEGAL NOTICE CASE # 726</p> <p>The Marion Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing at 7:30 pm on Thursday, August 25, 2016, in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House, on the application of JAMES & NANCY KIEHL for a Special Permit under section 6.1.3 of the zoning bylaw to allow reconstruction, extension, alteration or change to a non-conforming single family structure.</p> <p>The property, located at 15 West Avenue, is further identified on Assessors' Plan 3 as Lots 38 & 43. 8/4, 8/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF ROCHESTER PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at 7:15 pm in the Rochester Town Hall Conference Room regarding a Modification of an Approved Definitive Subdivision Plan application received by GARY M. MILLS for property located at Hartley Road, Rochester, MA 02770, further identified on Assessor's Map 37, Lots 27, 27A, 27B and 28. The property owner is Gary M. Mills, Douglas H. Church & Hartley Saw Mill Preservation Project, Inc., 74 Snipatuit Road, Rochester, MA 02770. The proposed project is to modify the plan to combine Lots 1 & 2 into a single lot, thus reducing the total number of buildable lots from 3 to 2, change roadway to 16' wide gravel road and miscellaneous plan modifications.</p> <p>The application and associated submittal documents are available for review at the Planning Board Office at the Rochester Town Hall Annex, 37 Marion Road between the hours of 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Monday through Friday. Arnold Johnson, Chairman 8/4, 8/11</p>	<p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH LEGAL NOTICE</p> <p>The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, August 23, 2016 at 4:45 pm in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by G.A.F. Engineering, Inc. pertaining to the property located at 25 Pinewood Drive, further identified as Map 25, Lot 20J.</p> <p>The following variances are requested to Title 5 of the State Environmental Code: 310 CMR 15.211(1): Minimum Setback Distances</p> <p>To allow the minimum distance between the soil absorption system and the cellar wall be 15 feet rather than the 20 foot requirement.</p> <p>To allow the minimum distance between the septic tank and cellar wall be 8 feet rather than the 10 foot requirement. Elizabeth S. Dunn, Chairman 8/4, 8/11</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF ROCHESTER CONSERVATION COMMISSION & TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING</p> <p>A public meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 17, 2016 at 7:00 pm in the Town Hall Conference Room, 1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by DON CARLOS COLLASIU for property located at 172 Braley Hill Road, Rochester, MA 02770, designated as Lot 6 on Assessor's Map 46. The applicant proposes installation of a new leaching area and closing chamber within 100 feet of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. Siltation control measures will be implemented. The applicant's representative is Alan Ewing of Alan Ewing Engineering, Inc., 261 New Boston Road, Fairhaven, MA 02719.</p> <p>The property owner of record is Don Carlos Collasius, 172 Braley Hill Road, Rochester, MA 02770. This meeting is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law. Rosemary T. Smith, Chairperson 8/4</p>



Hemphill at 508-748-3560, email to townparty@marionrecreation.com, or you may send a check to Marion Recreation, 13 Atlantis Drive, Marion, Massachusetts, 02738. Thank you for your support.

Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride

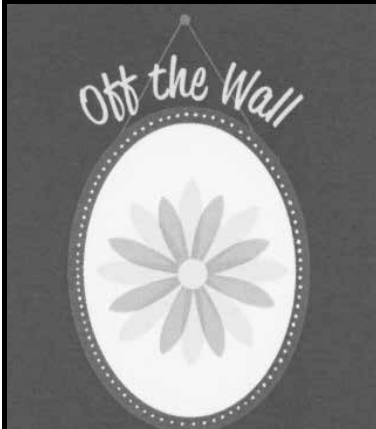
From Sakonnet Point in Little Compton to the village of Woods Hole, the Buzzards Bay region provides some of the best biking around. If you love to ride and want to protect clean water, then sign up for the 10th annual Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride on Sunday, **October 2** by visiting www.savebuzzardsbay.org/ride.

The Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride is a fun community event that supports a great cause: clean water in Buzzards Bay. More than 150 cyclists participate in the Watershed Ride each year, pedaling across the beautiful Buzzards Bay region to protect clean water.

To celebrate 10 years of the Watershed Ride, the Coalition is adding two new distances in addition to the traditional 75- and 35-miles routes. New this year, riders can sign up for a 100-mile 'century' route that lets you bike around the entirety of Buzzards Bay starting from the dramatic breakwater at Sakonnet Point, RI. Also new this year, a 10-mile Family Ride entirely on the Shining Sea Bikeway in Falmouth – an easy way to let the whole family get in on the fun of "biking for clean water." These new routes are in addition to the traditional 75-mile route starting in Westport or the 35-mile route that starts in Rochester. All the routes end with a party in Woods Hole.


Whether you're an avid cyclist or a more casual rider, you'll enjoy the Ride's gorgeous scenery through coastal villages, farmlands, working waterfront, and colorful cranberry bogs. Cyclists ages 12 and over are welcome to sign up. Many riders also form teams with their friends and families. Together, they put their cycling skills to work to raise thousands of dollars for Buzzards Bay. With a lunch stop, water and snack stations along the course, and on-the-road repair technicians available at call, all riders can feel safe and supported.

Each rider raises a minimum of \$300, but many participants set loftier fundraising goals. All funds go directly to programs and projects that protect land and



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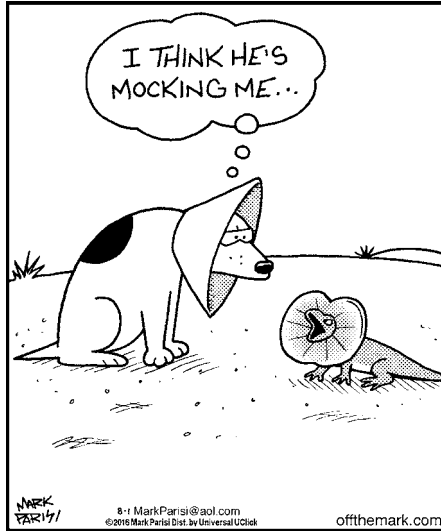
**TOWN OF ROCHESTER
CONSERVATION COMMISSION & TOWN
FOREST COMMITTEE
NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING**

A public meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 17, 2016 at 7:00 pm in the Town Hall Conference Room, 1 Constitution Way, Rochester, MA regarding a Request for Determination of Applicability filed by Center Village Condominium Trust c/o Carol Hardy of 7 Benjamin Drive, Rochester, MA 02770 for property located at Benjamin Drive, Rochester, MA 02770, designated as Lot 19C on Assessor's Map 4. The applicant requests expansion of the existing parking area and extension of an electrical line to a lamp post within the 100 foot Buffer Zone of a Bordering Vegetated Wetland.

The property owner of record is Center Village Condominium Trust c/o Coastal Property Management, Inc., P.O. Box 1659, Westport, MA 02790. This meeting is being held under the Massachusetts Wetland Protection Act, MGL Ch. 131, Section 40 and the Town of Rochester Wetland Protection By-Law.
Rosemary T. Smith, Chairperson 8/4

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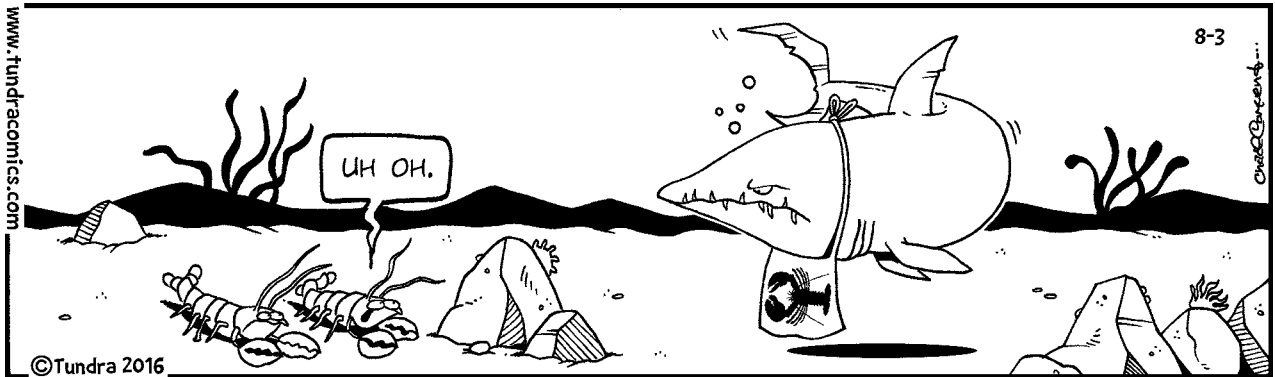
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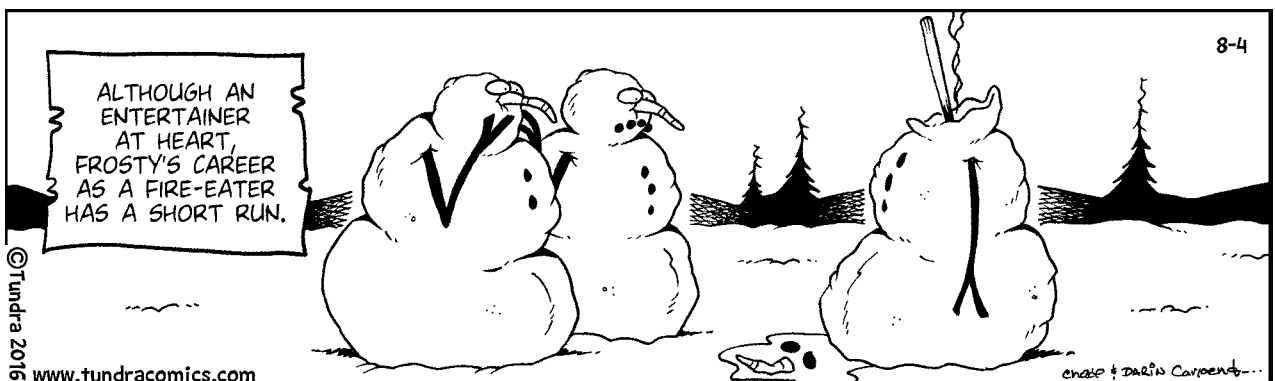
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To learn more about the Buzzards Bay Watershed Ride and sign up, visit www.savebuzzardsbay.org/ride.

Rochester Road Race Returns

Runners and walkers of all abilities are invited to participate in the 10th annual Rochester Road Race sponsored by Cape Cod Five Cents Savings Bank. This 5K (3.1 mile) event will kick off on Saturday, **August 13** at 9:00 am and is open to runners and walkers of all ages.

The race is incorporated as a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and net proceeds from entry fees are donated to “The Family Pantry - Damien’s Place” in Wareham. In addition, participants and spectators are encouraged to bring non-perishable food items, which will be collected prior to the race and donated to the food pantry. Damien’s Place provides food to over 500 families in need each month. To date, the Rochester Road Race has raised over \$26,000 for the Pantry and donated thousands of pounds of food.

After the cancellation of last year’s race due to lack of sponsorship, the Rochester Road Race is excited to welcome Cape Cod Five Cents Savings Bank as their new sponsor. Their generous support, along with our many volunteers, allows runner registration fees to directly

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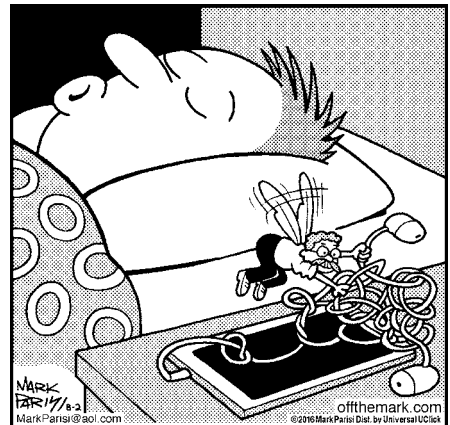
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Before Wednesday, August 10, the entry fee for adult runners is \$20, with a reduced entry fee of \$15 for walkers, those 12 or under, and 70 or older. After August 10, registration is \$25 per runner.

The race will start on Dexter Lane, continue down Mary's Pond Road to Walnut Plain, and turn left on Clapp Road. A water stop will be set up on Clapp Road at the halfway point. Runners will turn left onto Mendell Road, and then make another left onto Rounseville Road, finishing on the church green in the center of town.

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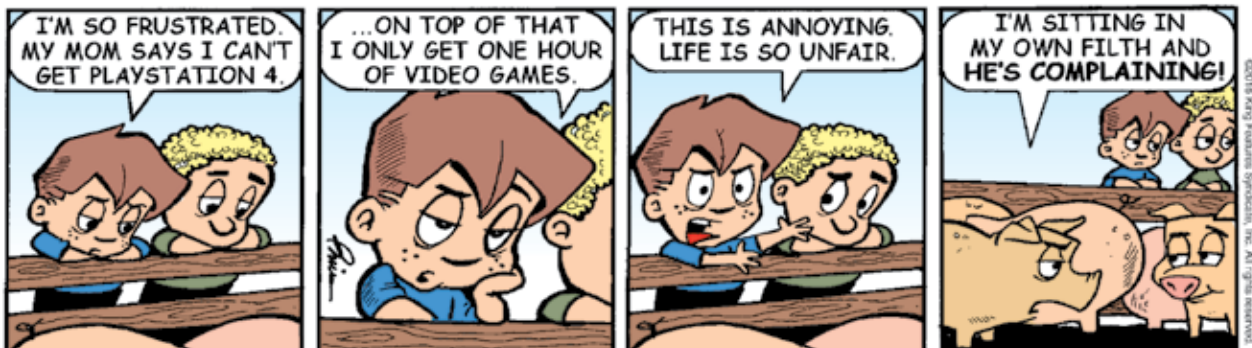


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Planning Committee meeting will be **August 9** at 10:00 am at the library meeting room. You are most cordially invited to attend. Members will discuss the centerpieces, decorations, displays and food selections at this meeting for the October 20th Tea. See you then. For more information, contact Elaine Botelho at 508-758-4909.

Property Tax Relief Grants

Applications are now available to help qualified Marion residents with their 2016-2017 property taxes through the Marion Community Fund of the Community Foundation of Southeastern Massachusetts (CFSEMA).

All applications must be received in the Community Foundation's offices by 3:00 pm on Monday, October 3, 2016, and applicants will be informed by mail by late December. Applications are available at the Town Hall in Marion, the Council on Aging, and the Community Foundation, 30 Cornell Street, New Bedford, MA 02740. They can also be downloaded at www.cfsema.org.

The Marion Community Fund was established in 1999 by a private donor to provide qualified Marion homeowners with property tax relief. The Fund's goal is to preserve the town's diversity and character by providing property tax relief for Marion homeowners who are a key part of the town's makeup and who might be forced to leave Marion due to higher taxes. There are no age restrictions on this grant.

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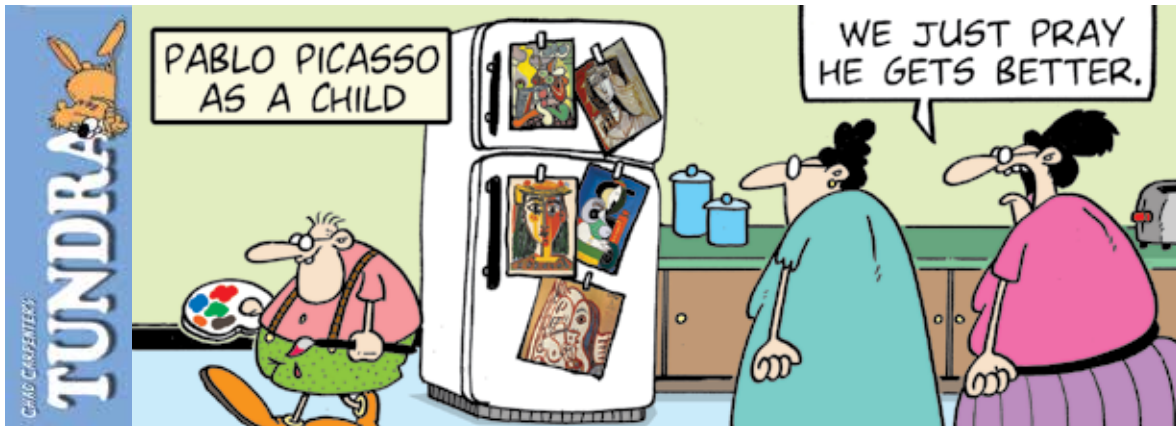
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Stephen Lombard, Sr.	August 6
Felicia Aguiar	August 7
Kathryn Crosby	August 7
Lauren Caulkins	August 7
Brooks King	August 8
Cathleen Dupont	August 8
Felix Perez	August 8
Kyle Collins	August 8
Barbara Morin Bayly	August 9
Elizabeth Savage	August 9
Jeff Rezendes	August 9
Lucy Aho	August 9
Jared Achorn	August 10
Marleigh Hemphill	August 10
Michael S. Lake	August 10

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The Marion Community Fund hopes people of all ages who qualify will apply. If you are a Marion homeowner, have owned your home for at least one year, have earned income of less than \$25,000 (single) or \$37,500 (married), and have assets of \$46,000 or less (single) or \$63,000 or less (married), excluding your home, you may be eligible for tax relief. All payments will be made to the Town of Marion and credited toward the grant recipient's tax bill.

For assistance with the application, contact the Marion Council on Aging at 508-748-3570.

Rochester Country Fair Live Auction Fundraiser

Did you finish your spring cleaning in time for summer? The Fair Committee is currently looking for donated items to be auctioned at the Rochester Country Fair. We hope to have approximately 100 items to auction off, so your help in reaching this goal is greatly appreciated.

This Good Old Country Auction Fundraiser, sponsored by Camara's Auction, will take place at the Rochester Country Fair on Thursday, **August 18** from 6:00 - 9:00 pm under the big tent provided by Chase Canopy Company.

You name it and we can sell it: antiques; farm implements; livestock; home goods; pies; furniture; tools; automotive parts & accessories; unique one-of-a-kind items; and odds & ends.

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ETL Sunset Cruise

The Elizabeth Taber Library is holding its first ever Cape Cod Canal Sunset Cruise, taking off from Marion Town Wharf on Saturday, **September 10** at 5:00 pm and returning at 8:00 pm. Tickets are \$40 and include cruise, a DJ and light refreshments. There will be a cash bar on board the Capt. John's Boat cruiser that will fit up

to 140 people. Tickets are now available at the Elizabeth Taber Library, 508-748-1252. This is a 21 and over cruise. Proceeds from the event go toward ETL programming, one of the last remaining private libraries in the state with the town providing roughly 70 percent of the library funding and the rest to come from fundraising.

Tri-Town Education Foundation

The Tri-Town Education Foundation is looking for Foundation members to take it through the next decade and beyond, helping to administer the Lighthouse Fund, which provides grants to the Tri-Town school community each year. The Lighthouse Fund is an endowed fund of the Old Rochester Educational Foundation Inc. which means that it is a permanent source of funding for the schools. Only the return on the investment will be awarded, while the remaining money grows for the future.

To date, more than 25 grants have been awarded through the Tri-Town Education Foundation to outstanding educators in the district, most recently for the ORR cross-curriculum "Cub Reporter" program, the Sippican School's "Playing with MakerSpaces: in the Library" and ORR's "Dreamfar High School Marathon." Grants totaled \$3,949.60 for 2015.

The Foundation is looking for new members, including a Chairman and Treasurer, to help continue the tradition and expand the Lighthouse Fund for Future Generations. Grant experience would be a huge plus.

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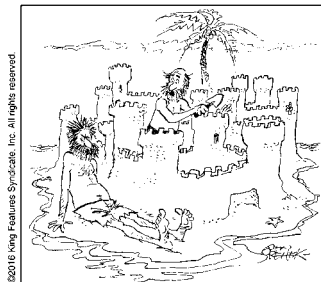
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Marion COA to Offer Free Summer Exercise Class

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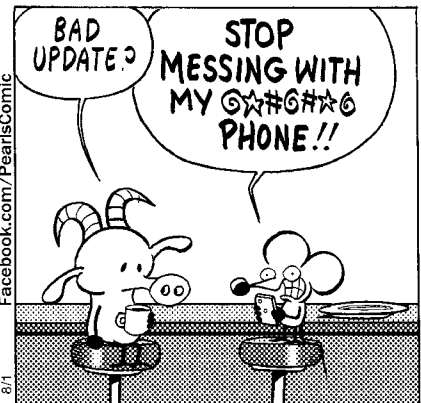
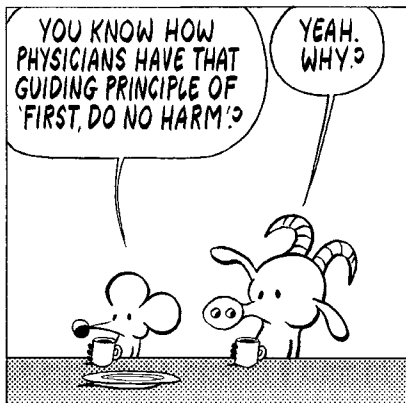
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This 60-hour course prepares its participants for the Associate Level at the Orton-Gillingham Academy (ortonacademy.org). Dawn Nieman, a Fellow at the Academy, who has been approved and licensed by the Academy of Orton-Gillingham Practitioners and Educators to teach the Associates Level, will teach the course. She will provide this rigorous course during eight sessions this fall: August 15-20; and on October 15 and 16.

During this training, in addition to learning about dyslexia and reading disorders, participants will learn the following fundamental elements of the Orton-Gillingham approach: an introduction to phonology; handwriting instruction; basic phonics; morphology and words derived from Anglo-Saxon, Latin, and Greek; strategies for multi-sensory instruction; formal and informal testing and how to use that information for tutorials; Orton-Gillingham lesson planning; and writing and grammar skills.

Once participants have successfully completed this course, they may then begin working on a practicum by making arrangements with the instructor. This



practicum will take place throughout the school year and prepare trainees to apply to the Academy of Orton-Gillingham at the Associate level.

For further information and sign-up, please call Friends Academy at 508-999-1356 ext. 1143 or visit the Friends Academy website at www.friendsacademy1810.org.

Marion COA Announces New Office Hours

The Marion Council on Aging is pleased to announce that effective immediately their office hours will be extended. The COA office will now be open and staffed Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. Please call the COA at 508-748-3570 with any questions or for more information.

Rochester Historic Commission Seeks New Members

Are you a closet history geek? Were you riveted to the miniseries Patriot? Do ancestry shows like 'Who Do You Think You Are' and the PBS series fascinate you?

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Barrows, Deborah A	Trezise, Frederick W Gerster, Joan A	7 Rebecca Dr	Marion	07/11/2016	457000
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Forbes, Dawn W	Carol Kolek RET Kolek, Carol	112 Acushnet Rd	Mattapoissett	07/15/2016	311000
Dry Well RT Peters, Maria C	Backus, Mary	6 Cedar St	Mattapoissett	07/14/2016	85000
Burr, Tucker	Sprague, Theresa M Sprague, Kenneth R	32 Marion Rd	Mattapoissett	07/14/2016	318000
Labrecque, James D Labrecque, Teresa L	Solberg, Otto F Solberg, Deborah J	109 Haskell Ridge Rd	Rochester	07/11/2016	472000
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SHERMAN'S LAGOON
by J.P. Toomey



If you answered yes to any or all of these questions, you might be a prime candidate to join the Rochester Historic Commission.

This Town Committee meets once a month, currently on the first Monday, at the Police Station Meeting Room on Dexter Lane. A meeting date change is planned for the future to return us to the Town Hall where our archives are stored. Due to recent resignations, we currently have openings for two members. Our agenda can be as varied as viewing building plans for developments (to ensure no historic structures are at risk), to updating the MCRIS list of historic properties and areas in Rochester or presenting programs at Rochester Memorial School. And all our meetings include a sharing of any interesting things our members have discovered in the last month.

Rochester has an incredible history for a small town, and it is fascinating to maintain its legacy and find new information to add. If you are interested in joining us, please drop a letter of intent to the Selectmen.

Depression, Bipolar Support Alliance

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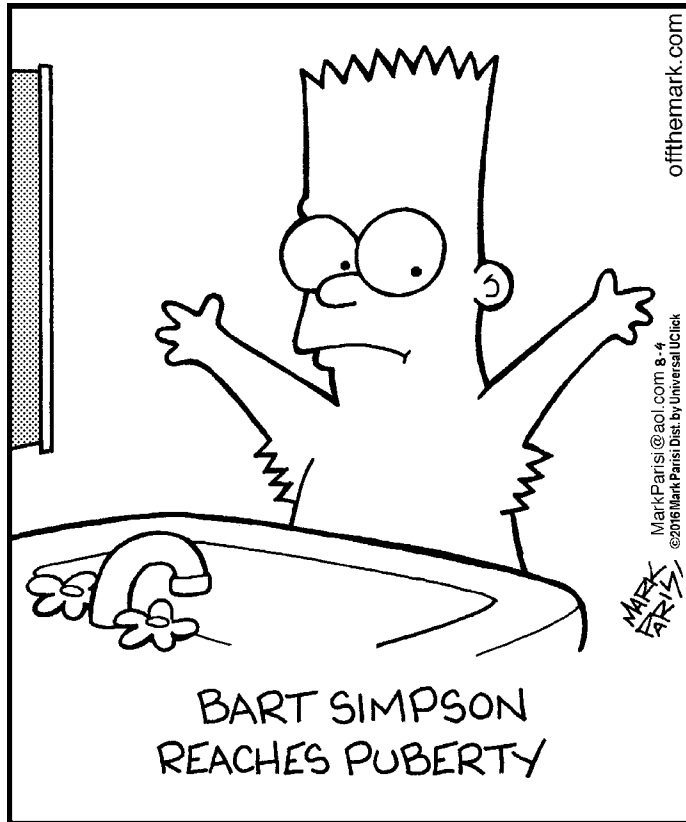


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Thursday	August 4:	9:47	10:08	3:28	3:14
Friday	August 5:	10:33	10:51	3:58	3:58
Saturday	August 6:	11:18	11:34	4:29	4:40
Sunday	August 7:	...	12:03	5:02	5:22
Monday	August 8:	12:18	12:48	5:38	6:08
Tuesday	August 9:	1:01	1:32	6:18	7:01
Wednesday	August 10:	1:44	2:16	7:06	8:06
Thursday	August 11:	2:28	3:01	8:01	9:22
Friday	August 12:	3:16	3:52	9:03	10:30
Saturday	August 13:	4:12	4:49	10:05	11:23
Sunday	August 14:	5:12	5:45	11:02	...
Monday	August 15:	6:08	6:34	12:07	12:02
Tuesday	August 16:	6:57	7:19	12:48	12:38
Wednesday	August 17:	7:42	8:04	1:28	1:25
Thursday	August 18:	8:28	8:49	2:08	2:11
Friday	August 19:	9:14	9:35	2:48	2:59
Saturday	August 20:	10:01	10:23	3:28	3:47
Sunday	August 21:	10:51	11:14	4:08	4:35

Phases of the Moon	First Quarter	August 10th
	Full Moon	August 18th
	Last Quarter	August 24th
	New Moon	Septemehr 1st

I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*

In the July 28, 2016 issue the Aardvark was on page 18!

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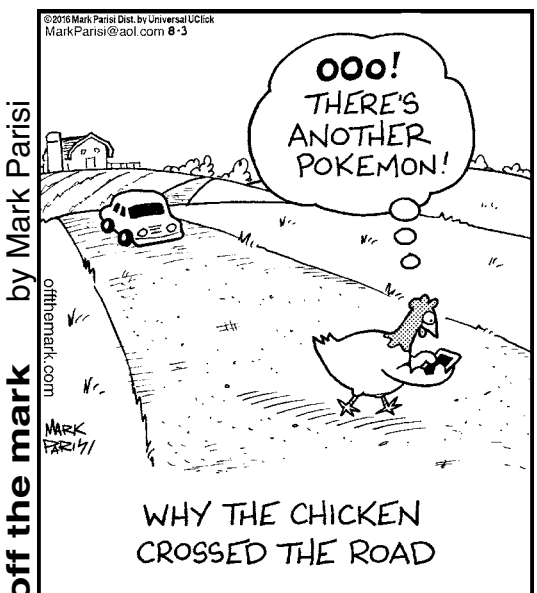
solution

1. Stable; 2. Ornerly;
3. Brute; 4. Trash

Today's Word
HOBBY

Sudoku Answer

1	6	4	8	2	5	7	9	3
7	8	9	1	4	3	2	5	6
5	3	2	9	6	7	1	4	8
4	1	6	3	9	2	8	7	5
9	5	8	7	1	6	3	2	4
3	2	7	5	8	4	9	6	1
6	7	5	2	3	1	4	8	9
8	4	3	6	7	9	5	1	2
2	9	1	4	5	8	6	3	7



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